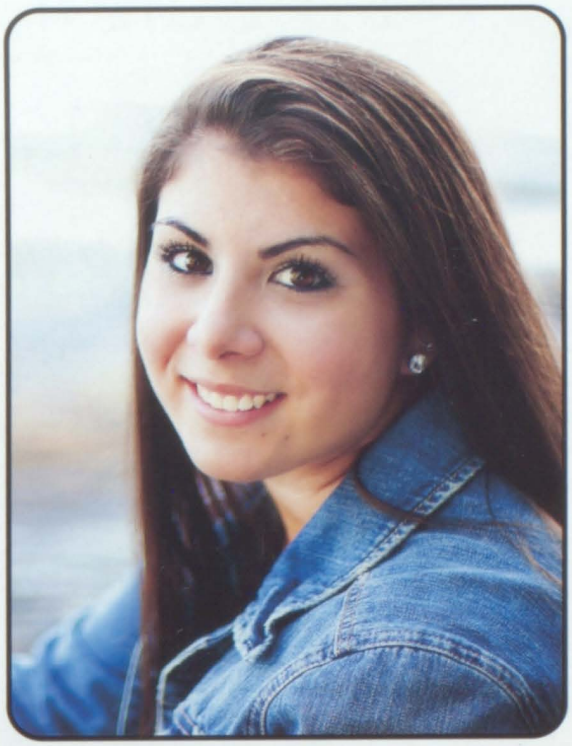
# 2012

As Different As Knight & Day

# Editor's Note and Principal's Message

I personally would like to thank the outstanding and dedicated yearbook staff this year. A big thank you to Mr. Maitland and Mrs. Colangelo for all their effort and time they put in. I've been a part of the yearbook staff for the past two years and this book is one of my favorites. Though it was a challenge having 25+ kids in a class, everybody worked together to make this the best book yet. A big thank you to all the editors for all their help on other sections of the book. Hopefully when anyone looks back on this book as a senior or a freshman they remember the memories that were made and they fun times they had. Just remember, once a black knight always a black knight.

Thank you,
Melissa Gilbert.



Dear students,

It is hard to believe that another year has come to an end. Some of you will be moving on to new challenges, others will be returning to Rome Free Academy to continue working toward a High School Diploma. Either way, great things are in store for us all. Please keep in mind that the key to any success is hard work and dedication.

Thank you to our Yearbook Staff and Advisors for a top notch publication. Exemplary work such as this truly makes me proud. Keep up the great work!

Congratulations to our graduating Seniors! And good luck to all.

Mr. Benson

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# As Different As Knight & Day.

The theme of this year's book, As Different As Knight & Day, really captures what is behind the front doors here at Rome Free Academy. It shows the diversity of students here at RFA. Whether you are a proud black&orange fan, or a rock&roll artist, all the way to being the comical person who loves nothing but fun&games, or your vibe flows to the beat of creativity&imagination, you have that ability here at RFA. From the time you walk into school on your first day as a freshman, until the final walk across that graduation stage to become who you want to be. After all, high school is about finding out who you are and who you want to become. This book is designed to show how different we all are from one another and how our individuality is unique and accepted. One trait all of us have in common is we bleed black&orange from day one until forever on.

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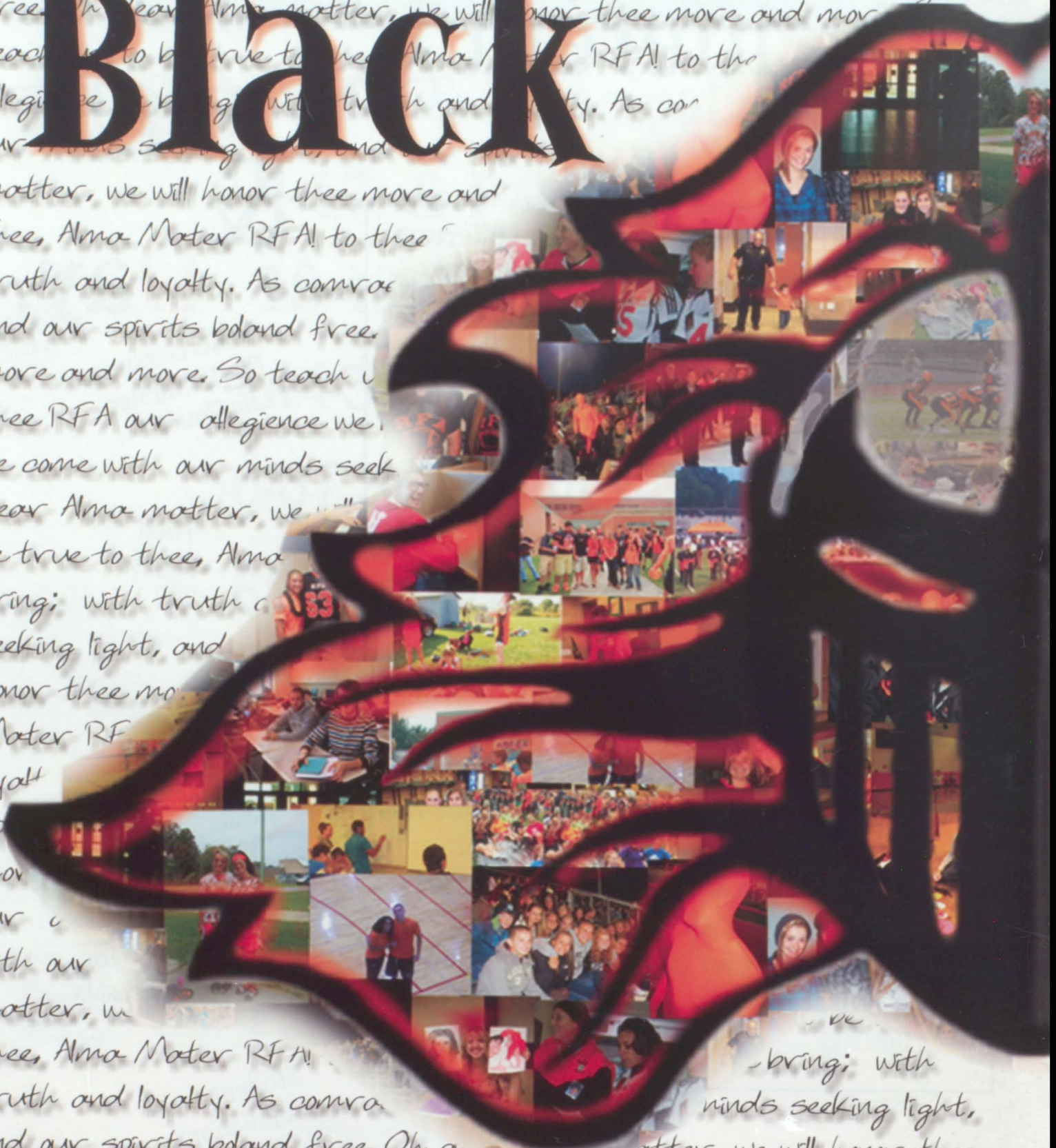
# Black

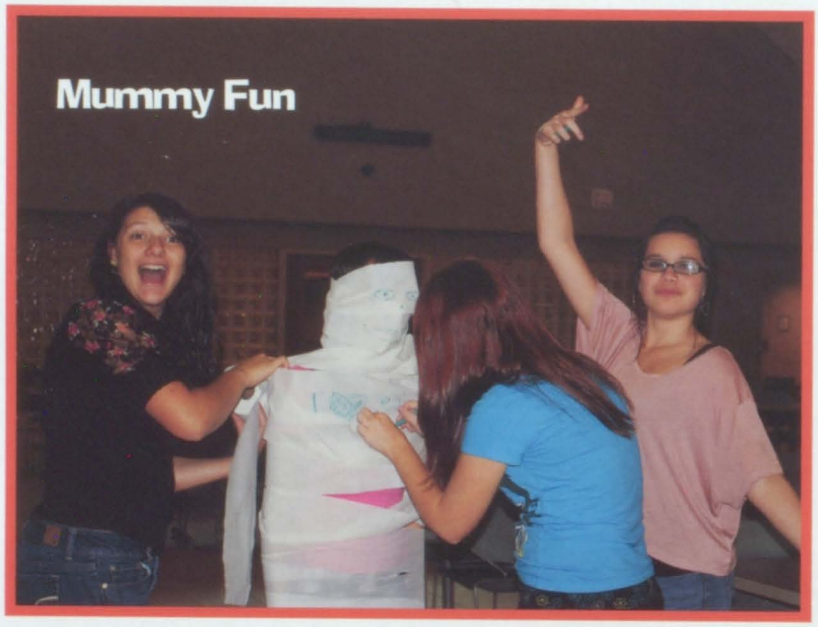


To thee RFA our allegience we bring; with truth and loyalty. As comrads we come with our minds seeking light, and our spirits bdand free. Oh dear Alma matter, we will honor thee more and more teach us to be true to thee Alma Mater RFA! to thee RFA our allegience we bring; with truth and loyalty. As comrads we come with our minds seeking light, and our spirits bdand free. Oh dear Alma matter, we will honor thee more and more. So teach us to be true to thee, Alma Mater RFA! to thee RFA our allegience we bring; with truth and loyalty. As comrads we come with our minds seeking light, and our spirits bdand free. Oh dear Alma matter, we will honor thee more and more. So teach us to be true to thee, Alma Mater RFA! to thee RFA our allegience we bring; with truth and loyalty. As comrads we come with our minds seeking light, and our spirits bdand free. Oh dear Alma matter, we will honor thee more and more. So teach us to be true to thee, Alma Mater RFA!

Black and Orange are more than just school colors here at RFA. To us, Black and Orange together, are representations not only of the pride we have in our school but also of who we are as students and members of the community. Whether you attend a sports game, a club meeting or even just a regular day here at RFA, it is hard not to notice the electricity and excitement toward our school that flows from our student body. RFA proudly holds a continuing tradition of paramount school pride and this year, I assure you, we have not fallen short of that legacy.

# & Orange

# Fun&Games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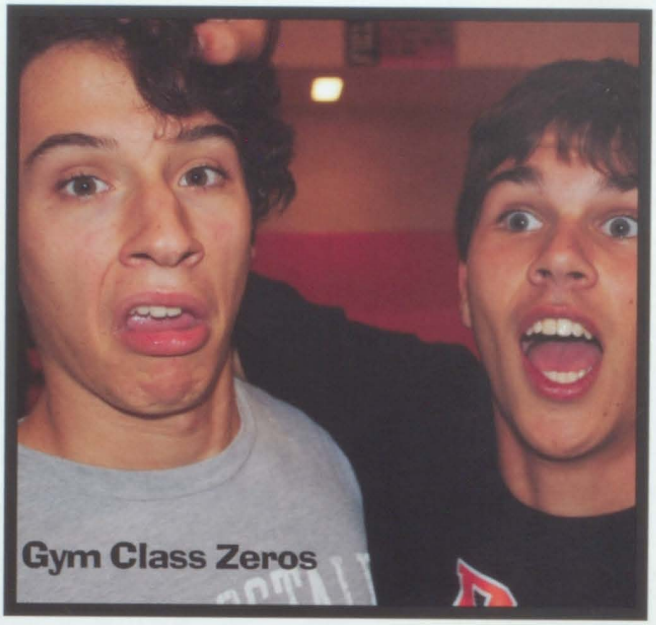
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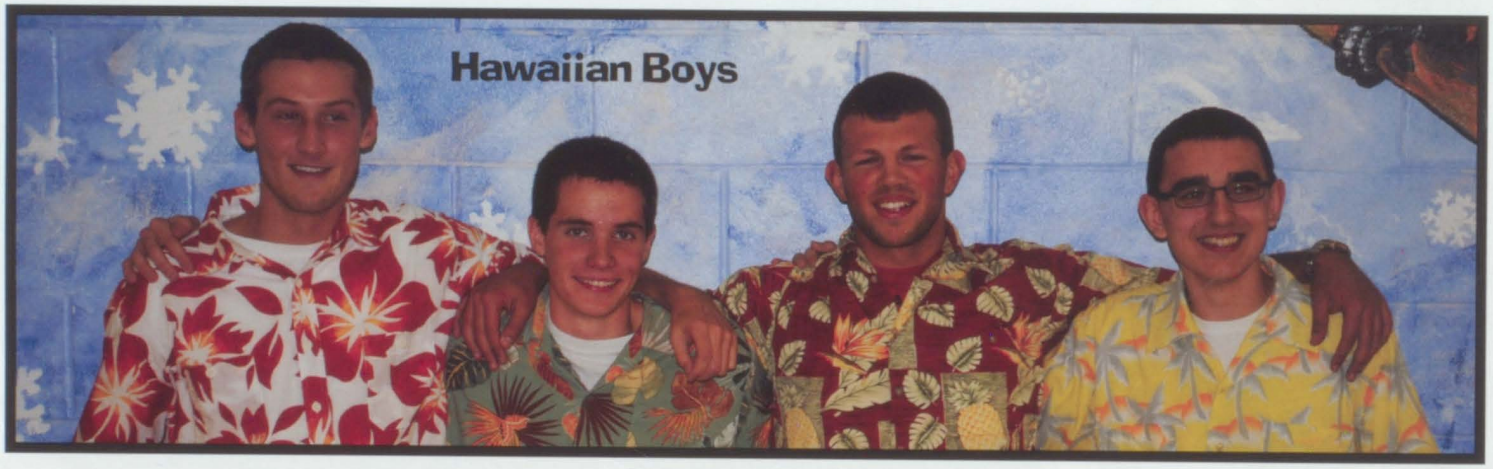
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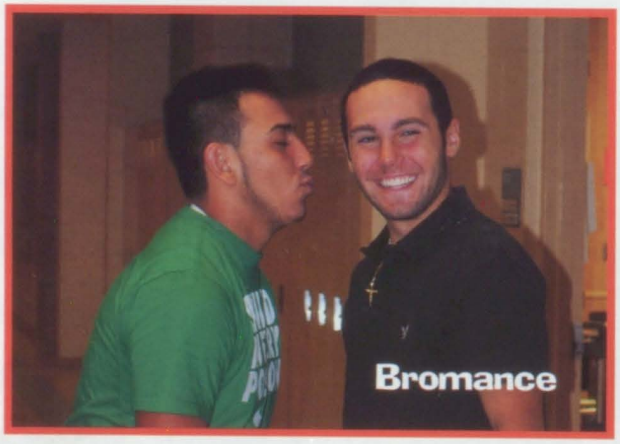
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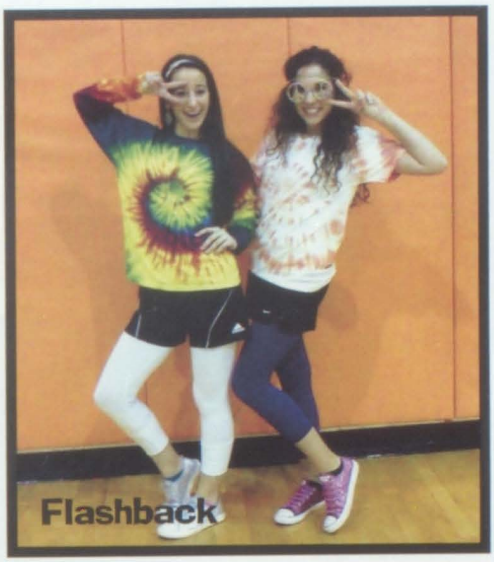
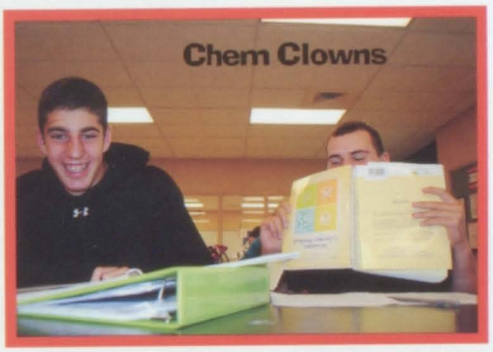
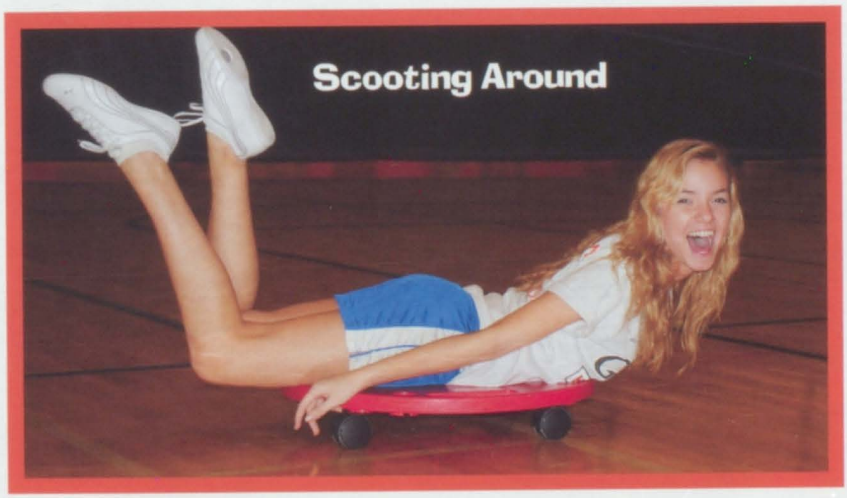
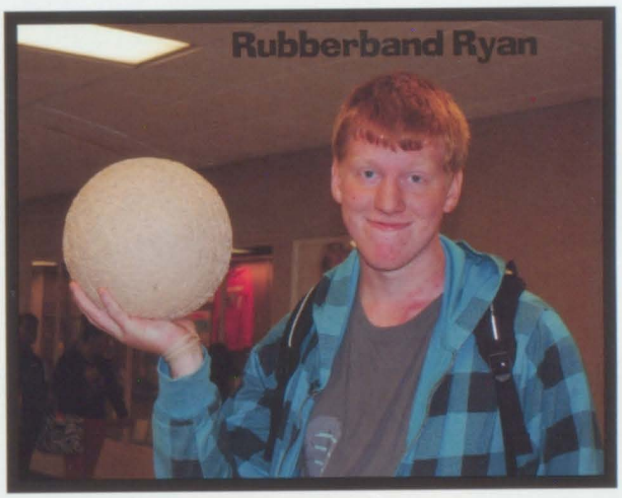
Super Model

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| **Mummy Fun** Krista MacDonald, Kelsey Beach and Hannah Wolf wrap Jessica Paquette as a mummy during leadership. | **Gym Class Zeros** Mike Mellace And Jake Pohl take a break to fool around in gym. | **Hawaiian Boys** Brandon Gullo, Ryan Hughes, Joel Wenndt, Mike Verostek, keep summer alive in Hawaiian shirts. | **Bromance** Manuel "Ziggy" Zegarelli gives his best friend, Jack Rotolo, some loving in the halls. | **Super Model** BIlly DiPalo struts his stuff on Halloween. |
| **Soda Pop, Pops** Hannah Premo learns what happens when you add mentos to diet coke. | **Flashback** Brianna Scales and Gracie O'Connor spice up gym class by dressing in 70's apparel. | **Chem Clowns** Nick Nardslico and Oliver Froelich goof off during chemistry lab. | **Scooting Around** Becca Coffman smiles during the scooter relays in gym class. | **Rubberband Ryan** Ryan McNichol shows off nine years of hard work. |

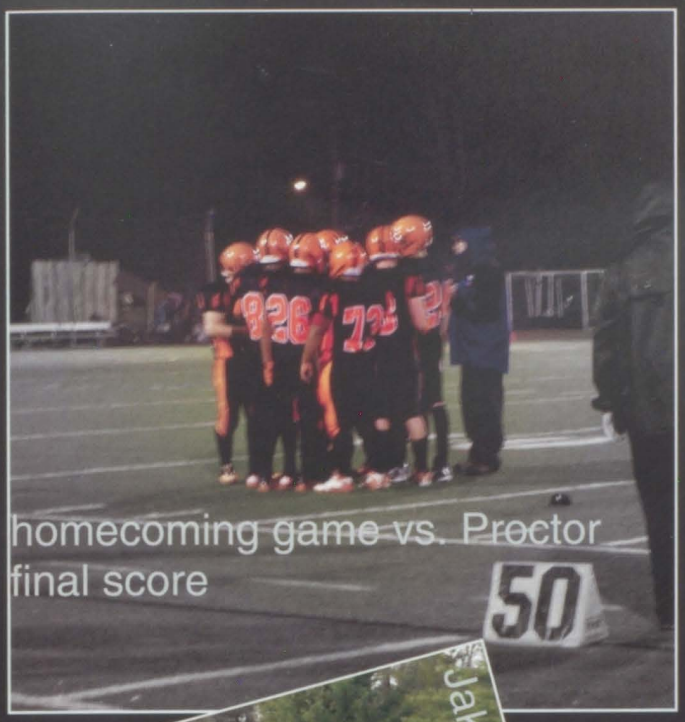
# old & new

"The best things in life come in threes, Friends, Dreams, and Memories. Real friends are the ones who will be there for you in any situation. We dream of what great things we want to do in life. The memories of our high school days and how they are almost over."

Junior Class, winners of fall heat of fusion!

Tradition runs deep here at RFA. Our rivalry vs. Proctor continues and this year on homecoming night we had the chance to play them and the whole school came out in black & orange to see the team display their pride on the field. This tradition between the fans and the players runs strong & deep for our school's pride. Heat of fusion has run since 1980 and continues today, but now the class of 2012 has started a new tradition for fall heat of fusion. These new traditions will be just as successful in the years to come.

Peter Mastracco & Noah Francis


homecoming game vs. Proctor
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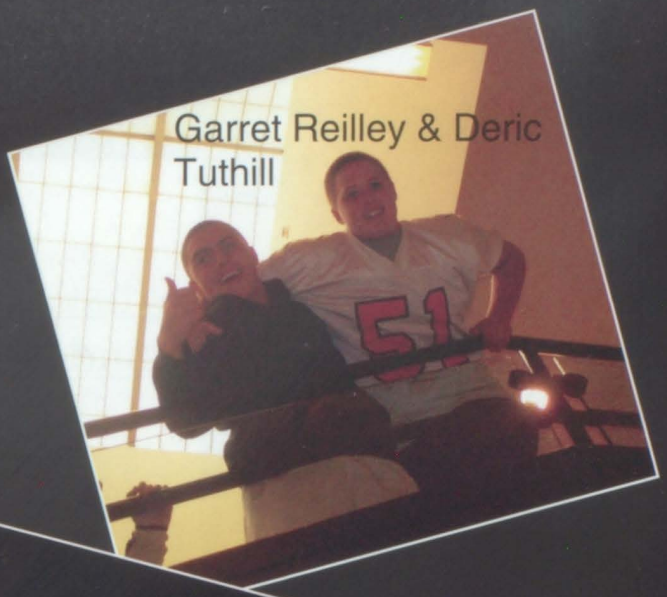
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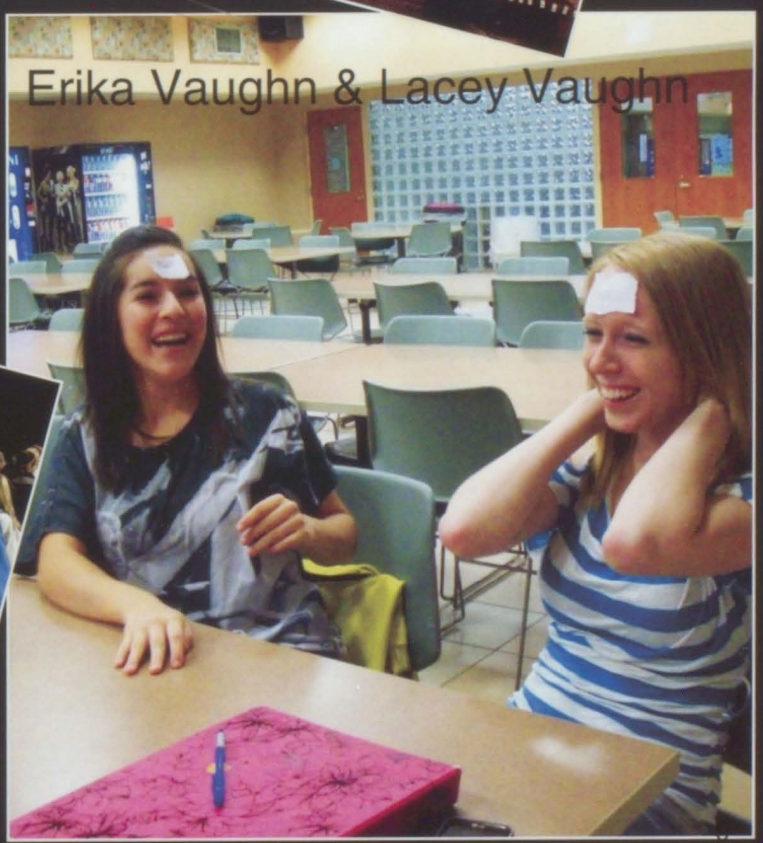
Jake Gosier & Brian Stapleton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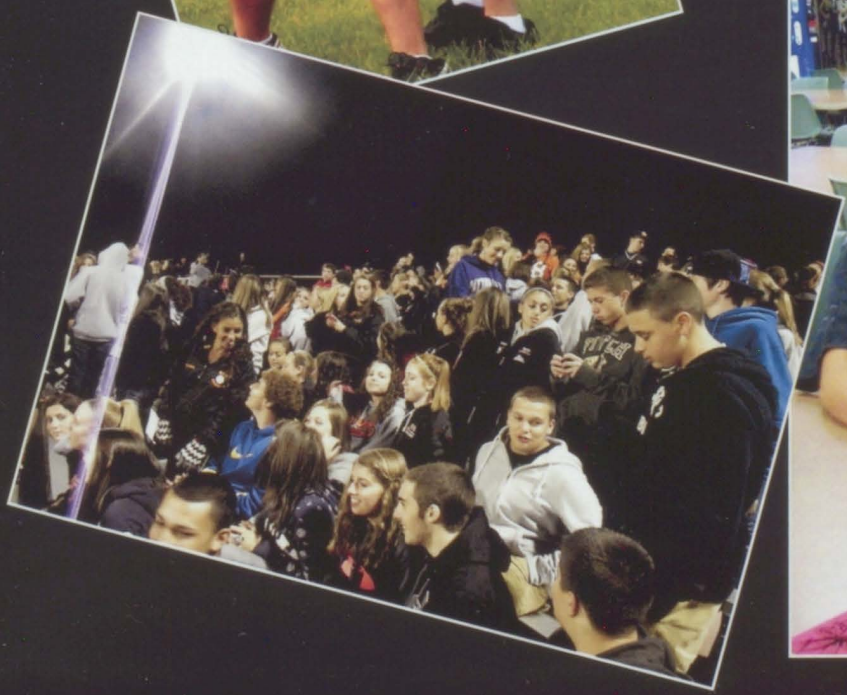
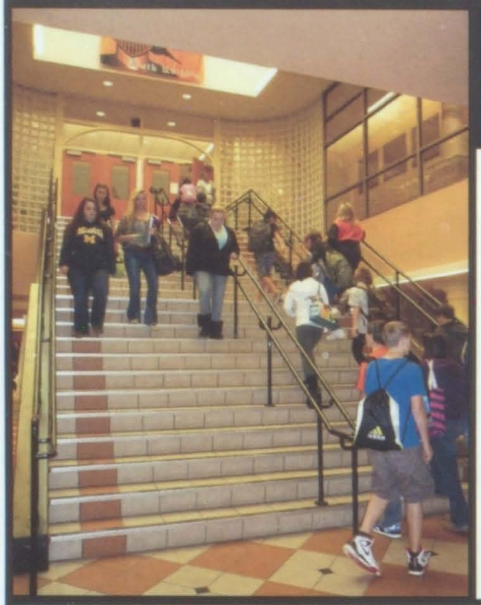




Students using the grand staircase to get to class.

# UP & DOWN

What's the first thing that comes to mind when you think of "The Hill"?

"Ohhhhh my gosh"

"Frustration!"

"What the french toast!"

"UGH!"

"20 more feet!"

"I miss my bed."

"Carry me!"

"It's way too early for this."

"What time is it?"

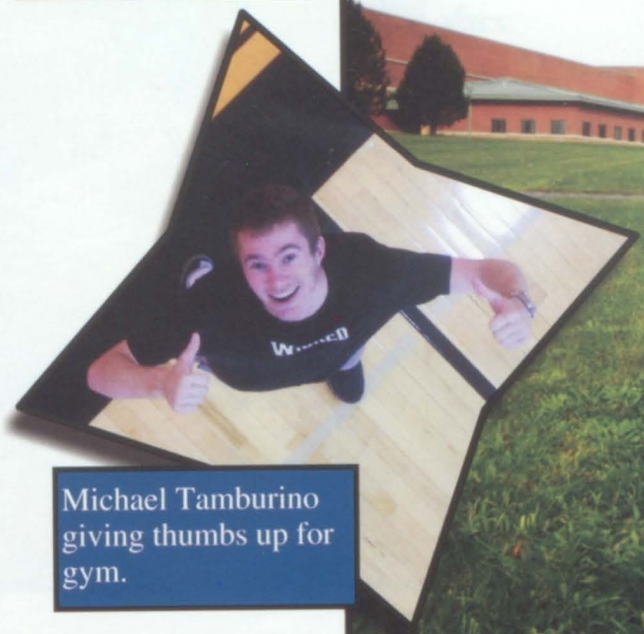
This is the hill that everyone dreads walking UP at 7:30 A.M...

& this is the hill that everyone loves going

D O W N !

Credit to: Johanna Gulla, Cara Wheeler, Jessica Paquette, Jena Mattie

"You gotta get up to get down."

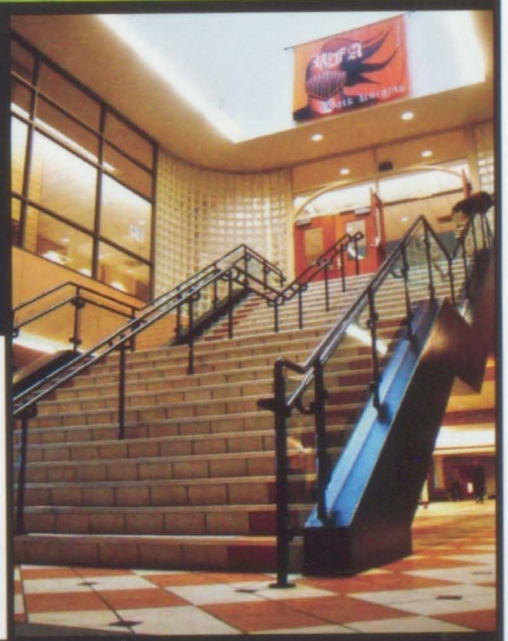


Michael Tamburino giving thumbs up for gym.

There's a freedom here at this school that people look forward to every year. As underclassmen walk into this school first thing in the morning all warm & fuzzy inside during the winter they see upperclassmen trudge in the front door breathing hard & rubbing their hands warm. The underclassmen can't wait to drive and beg their parents for cars while the upperclassmen wish for the past of warm buses.

Gym class heroes enjoy the bottom of the hill.

DID YOU KNOW?
The Grand Staircase & the Side-Staircases have 24 steps each!



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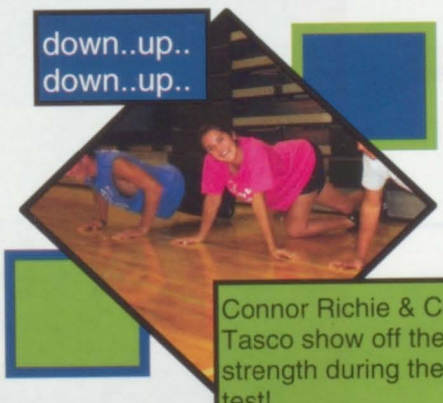


Connor Richie & Courtney Tasco show off their strength during the push up test!

# Imagination & Creativity

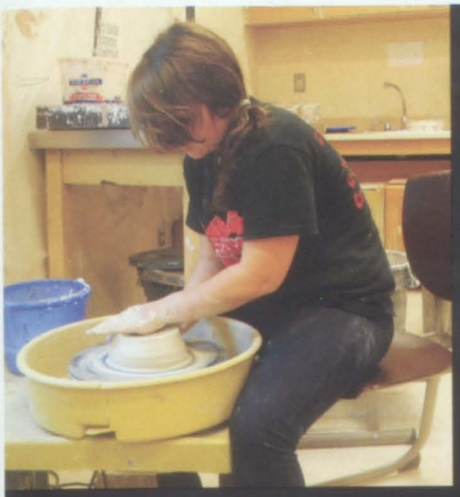
Chloe Cardwell practices piano during her free period.

# Creativity

"An essential aspect of creativity is not being afraid to fail."
-Edwin Land

← Quiana Holmes sings "Defying Gravity" in the Select Choir Showcase at RFA.

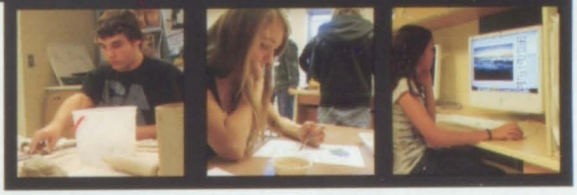
Mr Meiss teaches a lesson → during 8th period.



<— Melissa Nowak works on the pottery wheel during ceramics class.

Samantha Washburn shows —> off her artwork in Studio Art.

"Imagination will often carry us to worlds that never were. But without it we go nowhere."
-Carl Sagan



# Imagination

Rachel Fallon paints a colorwheel in 5th period Studio Art class.

## Creativity & Imagination

# This & That

The Fantastic Four: Connor Butters, Erik Winberg, Jeff Brown and Matt Sllver, celebrate after making RFA history!

Xavier Cruz strums *Blackbird* by the Beatles during the first firedrill of the year.

Into the light of the dark black "knight"
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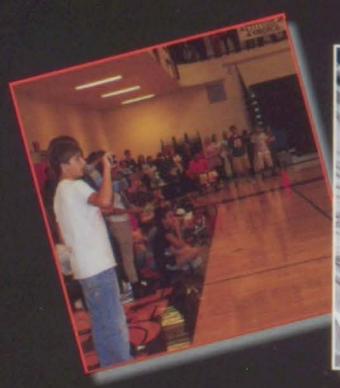
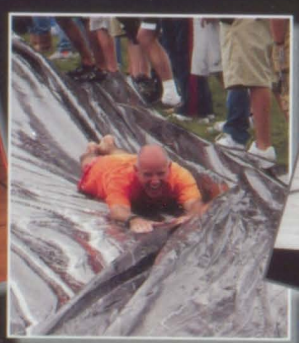
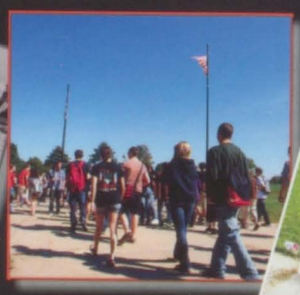
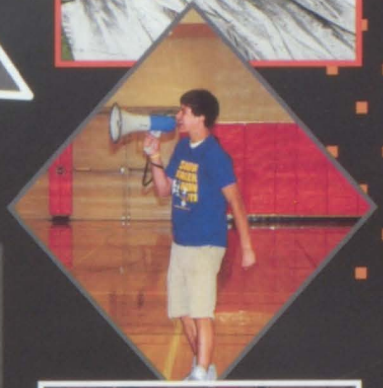


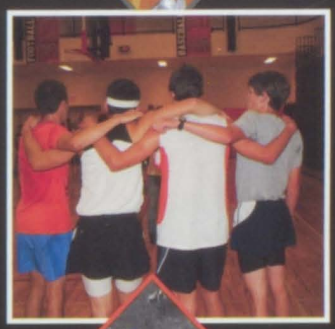




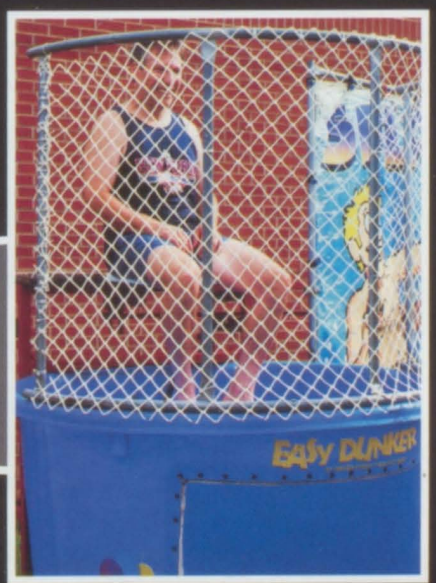
Nicole Vanderjagt, RJ Ferrucci, and Lindsey Gates taking a ride down the slip n' slide.



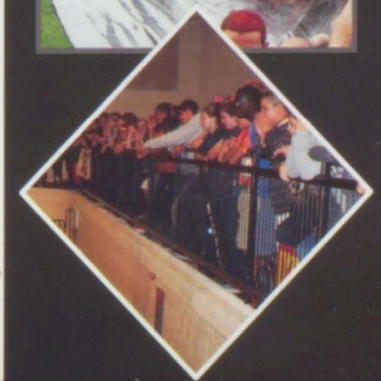
Coach Bartlett hopes to stay dry as his daughter Lindsay attempts to drown his ego.



Erik Winberg wins the pacer test of the century with a record breaking 172 laps!

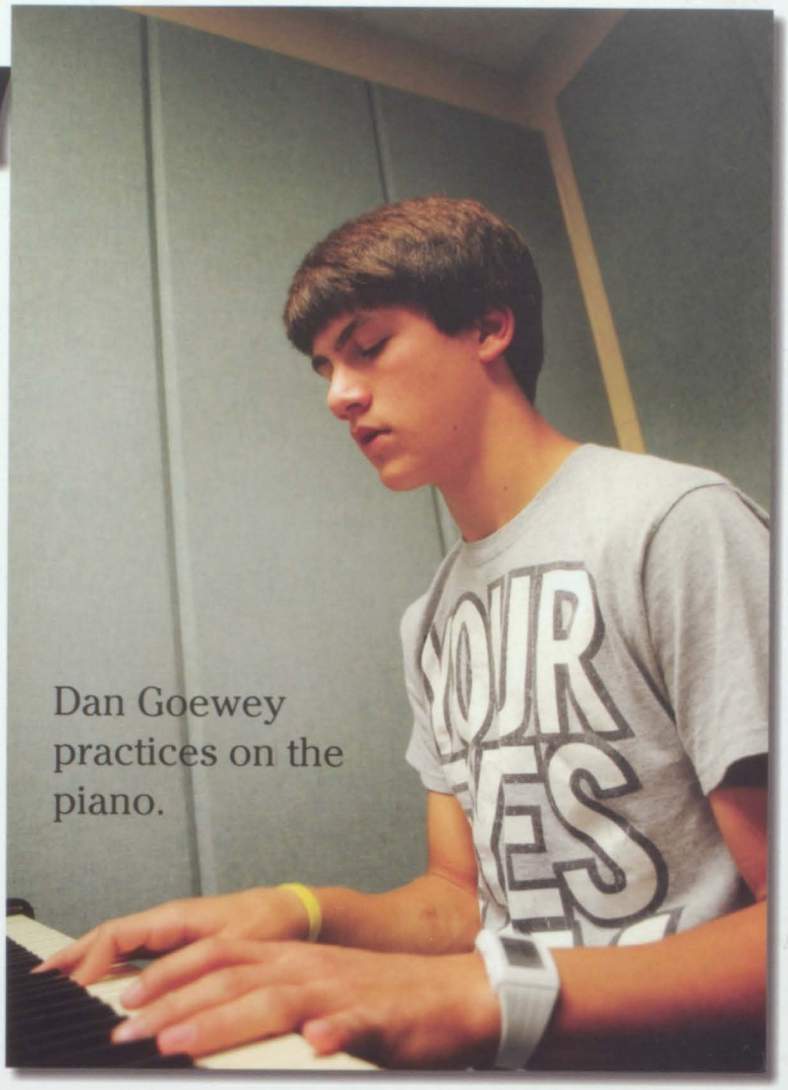



Mr. Houser preparing to plunge into the dunk tank during spirit week before the Homecoming Game vs. Proctor



# Rock & Roll

To Rock & Roll you don't have to be a rocker, have crazy rocker hair, or rock crazy clothing. Here at RFA all you need is a voice & a mic, or an instrument & a tune. Whether practicing for a school production or on stage performing, we have many different styles of music & musicians. No two melodies are the same. In RFA we know how to rock & roll.



Dan Goewey practices on the piano.

Nicole Benedict plays the flute.

Desmond Clay strums his violin.

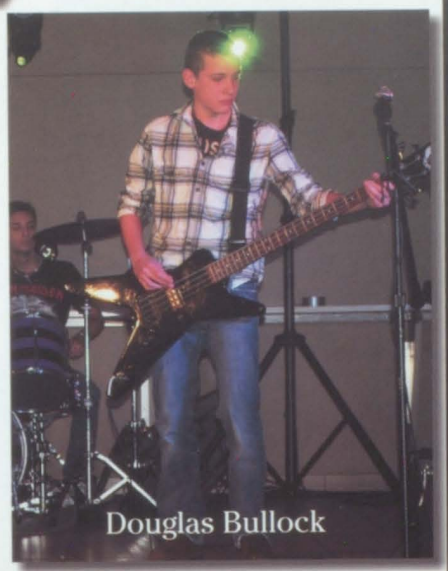
Kevin Utter making sweet sounds.

Devyn Arredando creates a beautiful melody with her violin.

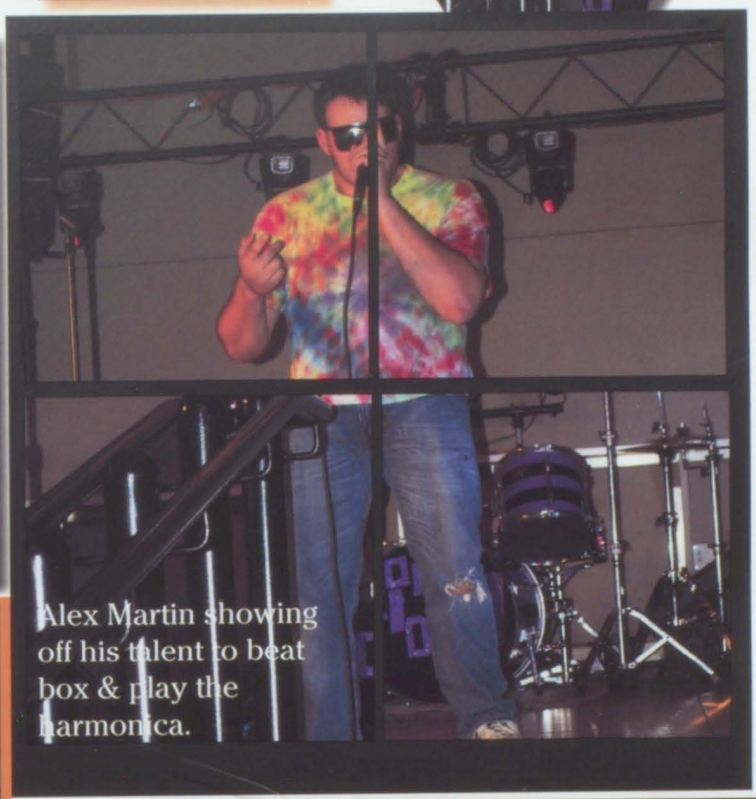
Carly Bovi goofing off at open mic night.

Aaron Hernandez rocking the stage.

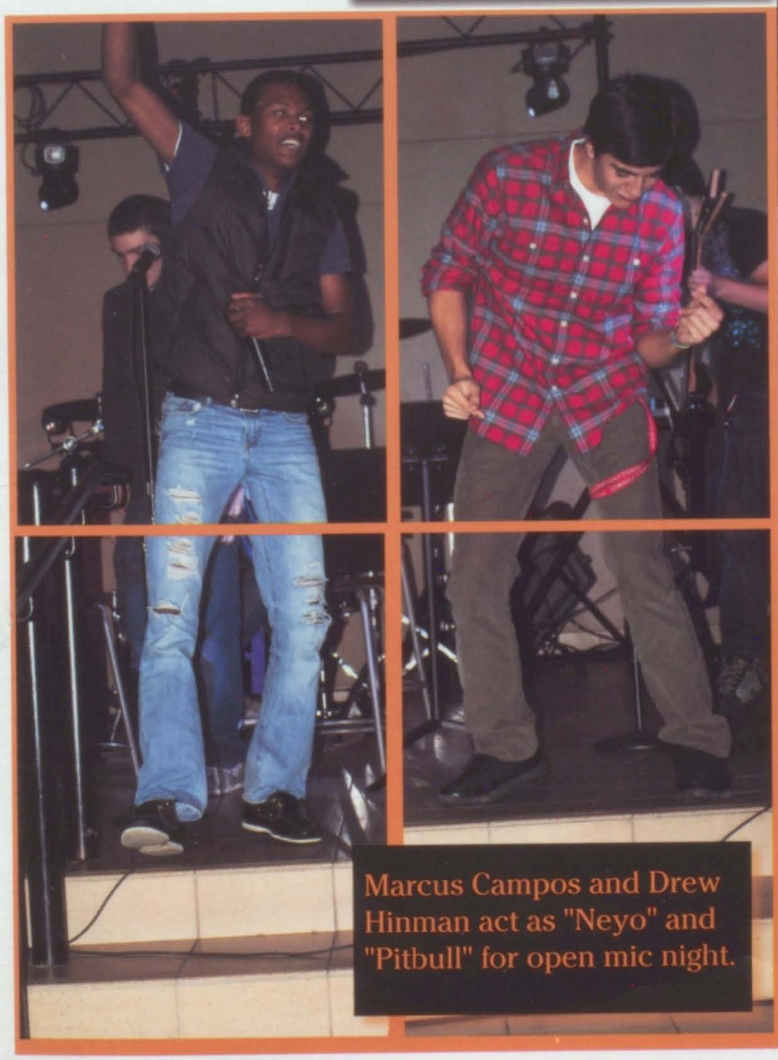
'We are wild, we are free, we are more than you think, so call us freaks, But that's just the way we roll'



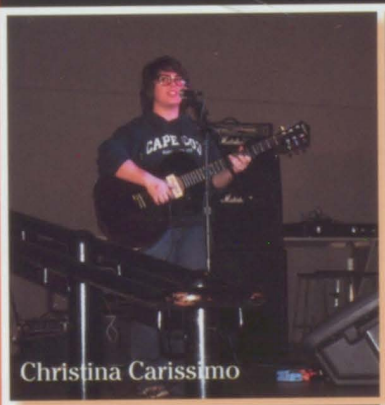
Douglas Bullock



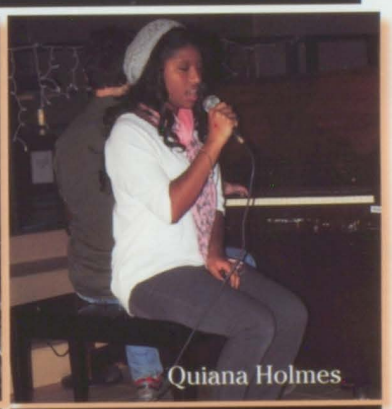
Alex Martin showing off his talent to beat box & play the harmonica.



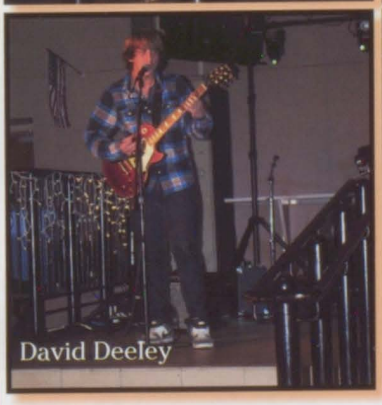
Marcus Campos and Drew Hinman act as "Neyo" and "Pitbull" for open mic night.



Christina Carissimo

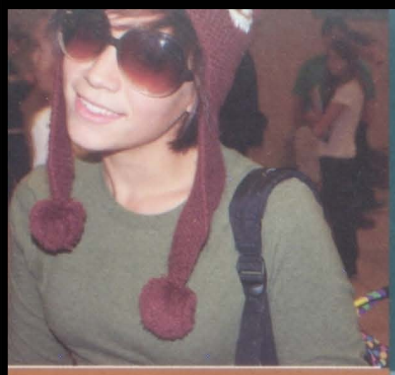


Quiana Holmes



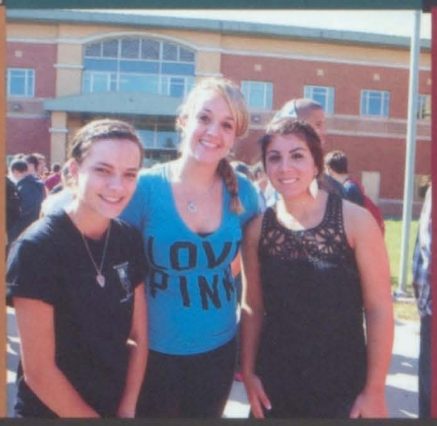
David Deeley

Sara Hanrahan

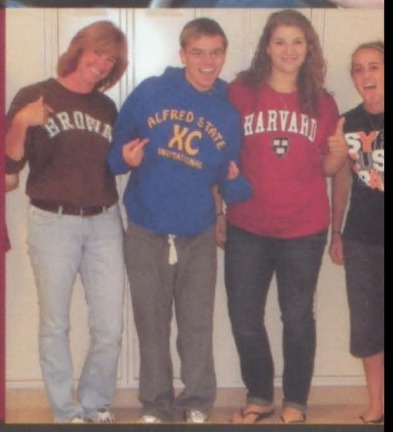


Never seen without a smile, Christina Hernandez shows her spirit on braids, shades, and hat day.

Cara Wheeler, Johanna Gulla, and Melissa Gilbert enjoy the sunshine during one of their last fire drills at Rome Free Academy.



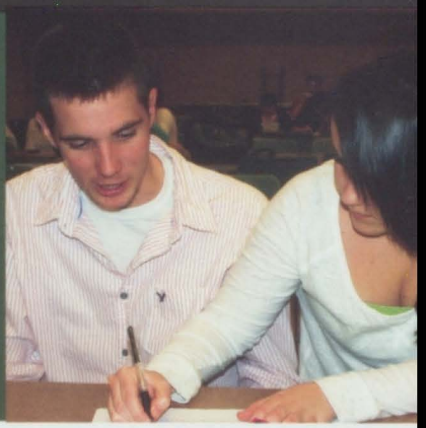
Mrs. McKinney, Joey Mastraccio, Katrina Piemonte, and Nicole Campell take a break from Science to show off their favorite colleges during spirit week!




"My happiest memories have no place in the past; they are those I've yet to create." -Ellen Hopkins

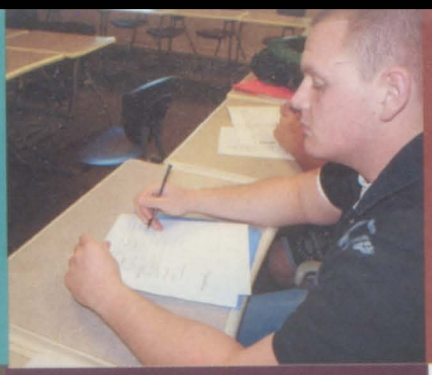
Gregory Malowicki and Alex Martin may also be known as the "Daper Dans."

Ryan Hughes and Amanda Arnold earned their priviledge to be in senior studyhall, and use their time wisely.



Eric Joyce, Thomas Amuso, Steven Eychner, and Drew Hinman form a 2012 instead of doing their work in class.

Seniors are #1, and Joel Wenndt makes it clear.

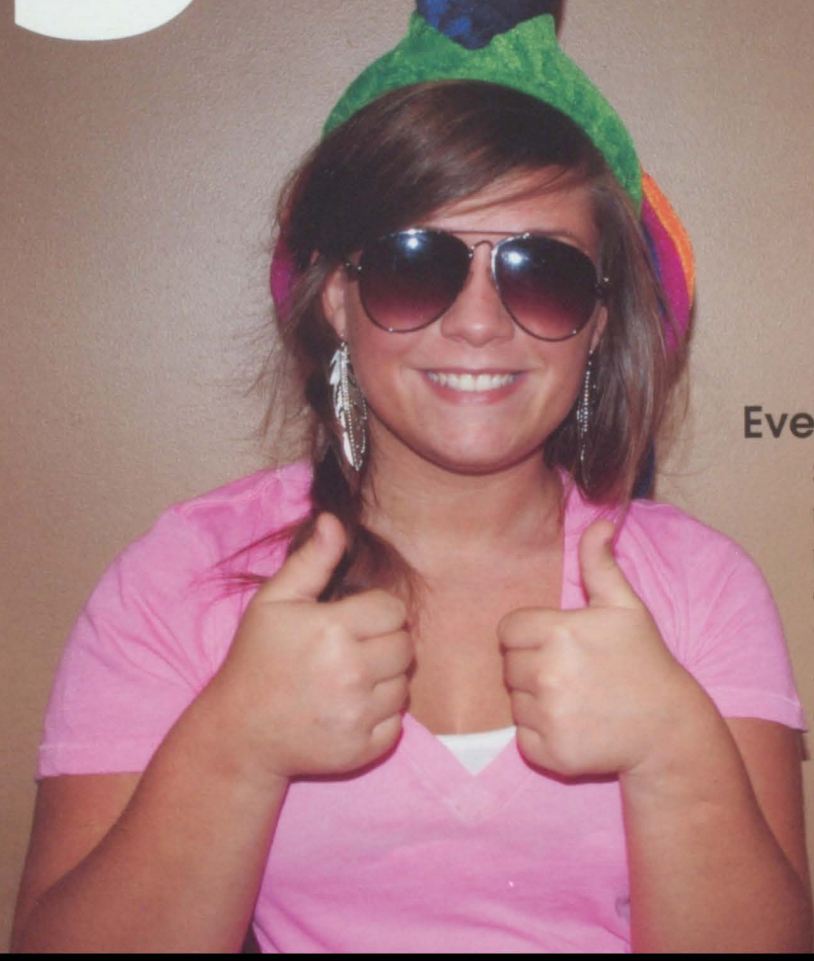


Senioritis hasn't kicked in yet for Michael Kobito as he shows his studious side during English.

Ryan Mettot ate his wheaties for breakfast so he can pump some iron in the weight room for lunch.

Wilfredo Huenabes takes a break on making everyone smile, and instead works diligently in class.

# Seniors



## Class of 2012

### Every ending has a new beginning...

Since we were four or five years old we've been working towards a goal. This goal was surviving 13 years of school to walk across that stage in June and recieve that one piece of paper that will forever change our lives. Some of us will say goodbye to each other for a few days, others will say goodbye to each other forever. Some will go to college, some will go to work, some will go in the military, and some will travel the world. The last four years in RFA will be in our memories forever as we all move on to bigger things in life. We are the Senior Class of 2012 and have made our mark.

# Top of the Class!

## *Valedictorian*

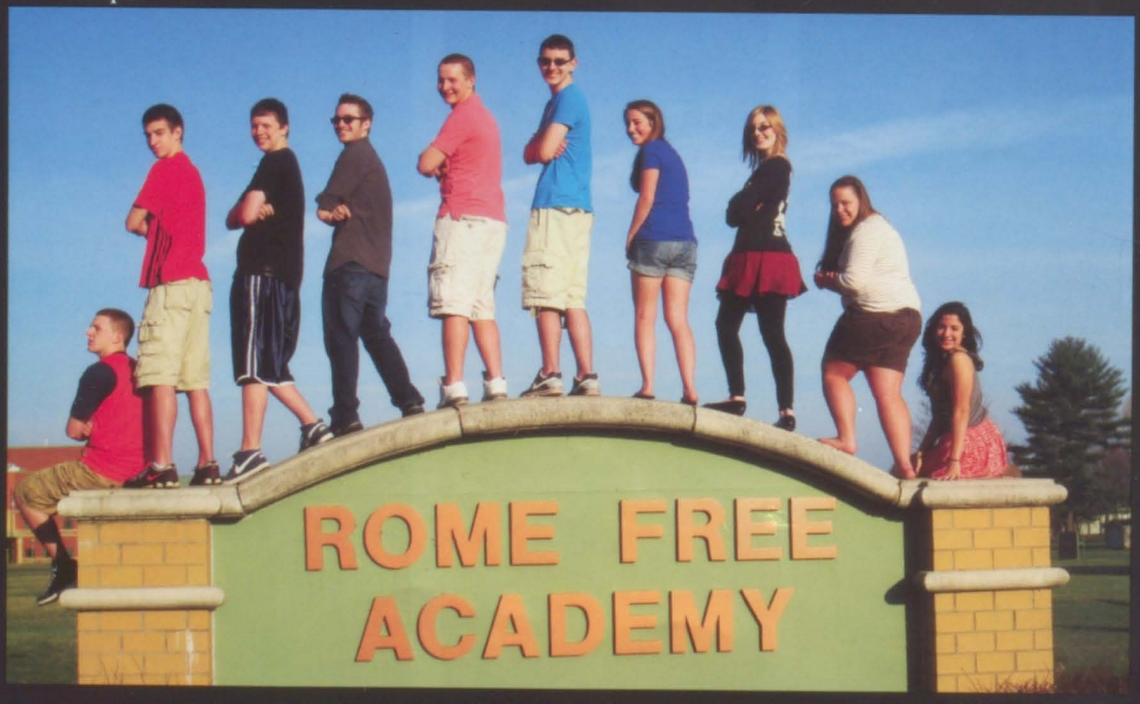
**Randolph W. Linderman** with a weighted average of 102.71 intends to major in biomedical engineering. He plans to attend either the University of Michigan or Cornell. He has his eye on a career in research in the medical field or medical practice. Randy has been involved in Varsity soccer, hockey, and lacrosse. He is president of the National Honor Society chapter at RFA, and active in the YES club, as well as STASS. His biggest influences, are his mom, dad, and brother. His most influential educator is Susan Davidson, his elementary art teacher.

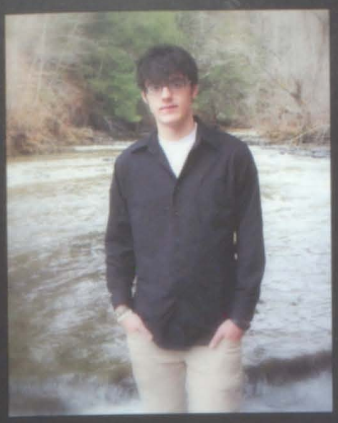
## *Salutatorian*

**Michael J. Verostek Jr.** with a weighted average of 102.6 is majoring in Liberal Arts in college. His interests are in physics and political science. He has been accepted to Colgate, Hamilton, RIT, Syracuse University and RPI. Hamilton or Colgate would be his college of choice. Mike's parents have had the biggest influence on his life . "My Father is the most intelligent guy I know and my mom, the most caring person I know. Mrs. Terenzetti, Mrs. Nardslico, Mr. Connery and Mrs. Nelson have been my most influential educators." Mike has been layout editor for the Knight Times student newspaper, Past secretary of the National Honor Society chapter at RFA. He is also involved in Spanish club, YES club, and Social Action Corps.

Valedictorian Randy Linderman and Salutatorian Mike Verostek stand back to back to face the future.

**Top 10 Students:**
Steven Eychner, Samuel Shields, Lucas Parzych, Michael Tamburrino, Randolph Linderman, Michael Verostek, Nicole Campbell, Elizabeth Sylvester, Emily Closinski, Carly Bovi.



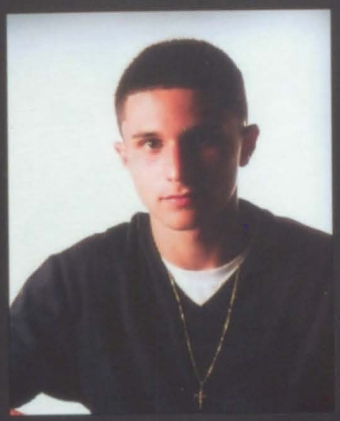


Anthony Aiello

Philip Aiello

Tara Allen
*Rainbow!*

Marialana Amuso



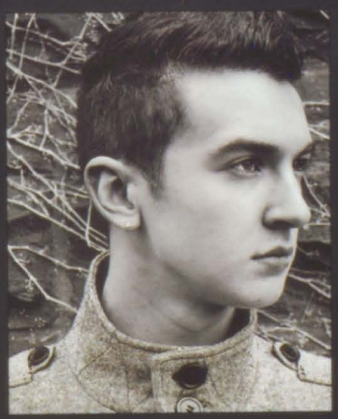
Thomas Amuso
*While they are talkin it, Im out here livin it.*

Nicole Anken

Ashley Armstrong
*Things do not change, we change*

Amanda Arnold
*Never Regret. If it's good it's wonderful. If it's bad, it's experience.*

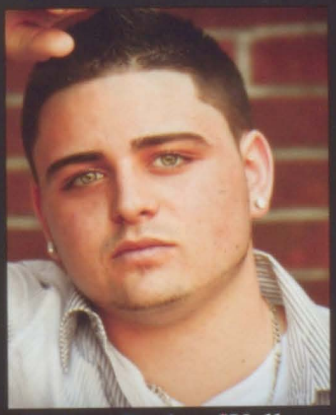
Brandon Badolato



Tyler Baldwin
*I'm not crazy, I am eccentric. There is a difference.*

Vice President Alison Duran, President Michael Kobito Secretary Halie Schoff and Treasurer Carly Bovi make the senior class officers.

Amber Ballard



Robert Barber-Waller
Some times the hardest decision is the best decision.

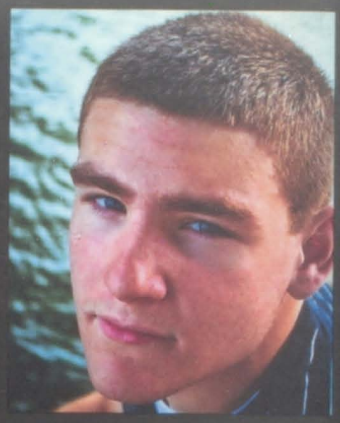
Zachary Barrigar

*"May your neighbors respect you, trouble neglect you, angels protect you and heaven accept you."*

Kelsey Beach

*"In my experience, there's no such thing as luck" - Obi-wan Kenobi*

Kayla Beckwith



Kevin Beckwith

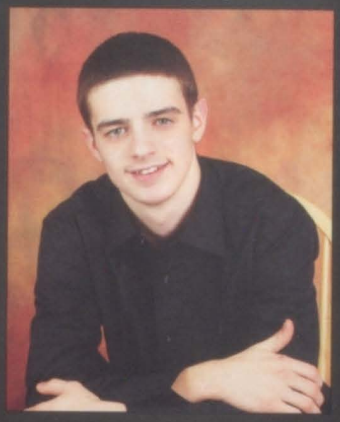
*"Is this the life that you lead or the life that's led for you?"*

Leonard Benedetto

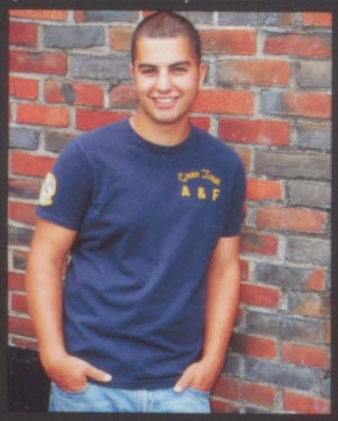
*"Be true to yourself, your family, friends, and Country...AMERICA!"*

Ryan Blanchard

Carly Bovi



Jacob Bradley



Alexander Brement

*"Make todays best, tomorrows worst" -Jay Z*

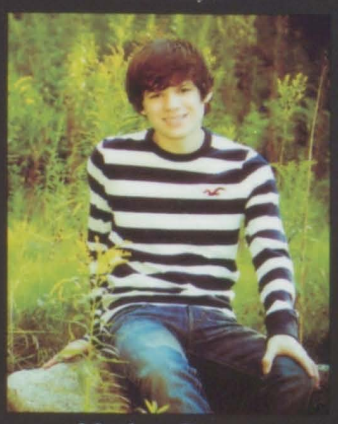
Kristine Brockway

Katrina Brodock

*"I won't let fear clip my wings and tell me how high I can fly."*

Jeffrey Brown

*"Don't be afraid to give up the good to go for the great."*



Matthew Brown

*"Changing the world, one step at a time."*

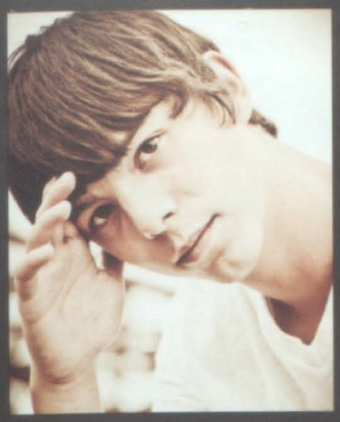
Joshua Butler

*"Hazzaw to that"*

Connor Butters

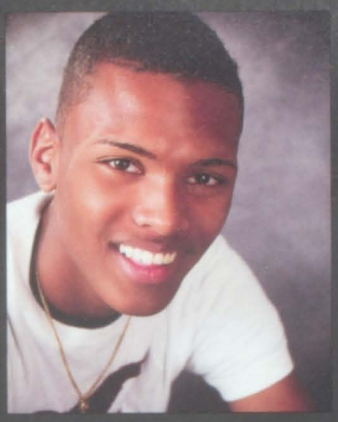
*"Life is never so bad it can't get worse." -Bill Watterson*

Cierra Cadrette



Antonio Campanella
*"I keep myself so lifted, I'm acustomed to new heights." - Cudi*

Nicole Campbell



Marcus Campos
*"Shake and Bake"- Ricky Bobby*

Bianca Capponi
*"Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die today."-James Dean*

Stephanie Capria
*"It takes a few tears...and ears to become a great artist."*

Chloe Cardwell

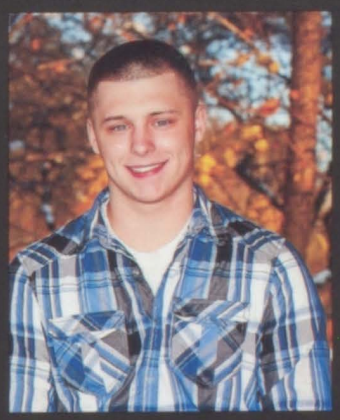
Cory Carinci
*"It ain't perrty till its dirty."*

Chelsea Carpenter

Philip Caruso
*"I love it when you call me Big Poppa."*

Alyssa Cavalier
*"You discover who you are by acting naturally."*

Ashley Centore
*"Love is like a Rose in the Winter, Only the strong Survive."*



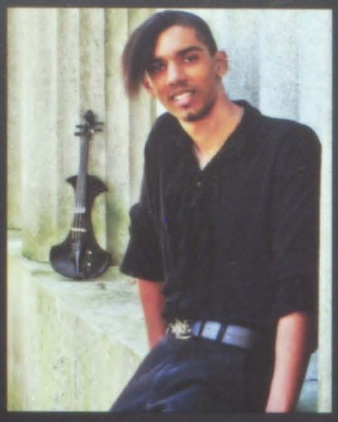
Dylan Cheal
*"In the end they'll jugde me anyway, so whatever."*

Peeratep Chinwong

Pirathip Chinwong

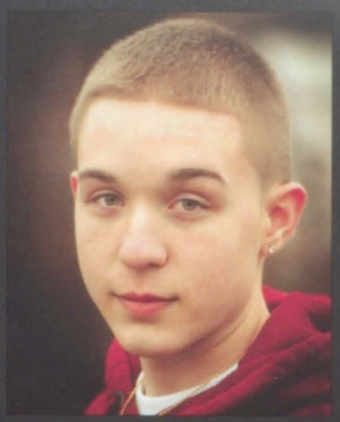
Christopher Ciulla
*"Enjoy the best things in life cause you ain't gonna get to live it twice."*

Tyler Clark



Desmond Clay
*"Just jump in and you will naturally adapt." -D.Clay*

Emily Closinski
*"Music washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life." - Berthold Auerbach*



Matthew Colangelo
*"Dream as if you'll live forever, Live as if you'll die today."*

Brooke Cole

Michael Coniglio

Matthew Consiglio

Michael Coonrod

Allison Cosimeno
*"The first and last breaths don't matter it's all the ones that are in between."*

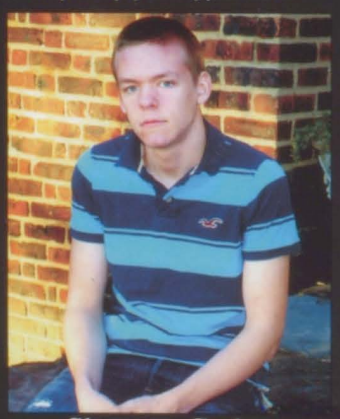
Casey Cox

Michael Cox
*"Freedom isn't free, but the U.S Marine Corps will pay most of your share."*

Xavier Cruz
*"Although our adventures are over ... I've met many friends...we may leave, but our memories will always be close to our hearts."*

Amanda Cutler

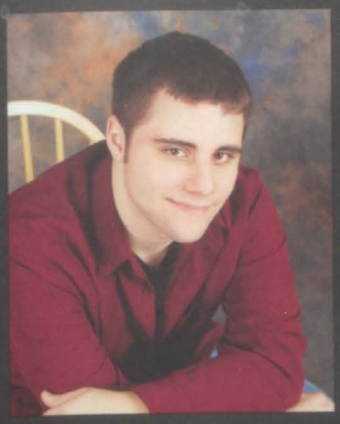
Lucas Cutler



Shannon Cutler
*"Rise above HATE, Hustle, loyalty, respect"*

Lindsay D'Aiuto
*"Out of clutter, find simplicity. From discord, find harmony. In the middle of difficulty lies opportunity."*

Sierra Dashnaw
*"In order to receive something you've never had, you have to do something you've never done."*



Santino Deblasiis
*"Dirty Tino!" "Squatch!" "Hawaiian Shirt Friday!"*

Jennifer Decker
*"Don't criticize what you can't understand"*

Jordan Delong
*"You can't quit, until you try."*

Antonio Destito

Stephanie Dibert
*"It's better to be absolutely ridiculous than be absolutely boring."*

Dennis Drake
*"Don't give up. Don't lose hope. Don't sell out."*

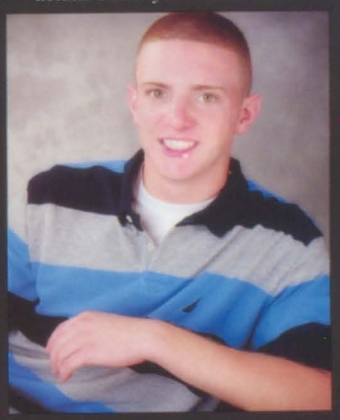
Alison Duran
*"The road is long and in the end, The journey is the destination."*

Allison Eastup
*"Don't let the past and useless details choke your existence."*

Andrea Eastup
*"It is not random. It is not chance. It is a plan playing itself out perfectly."*

Christian Egelston

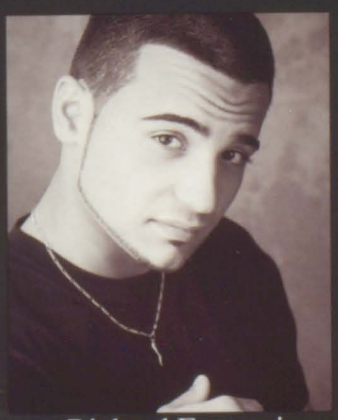
Kayla Ervin



Steven Eychner
*"They say time is money but really it's not 'cause if we ever go broke then time is all we got "*

Joseph Facciolo

Danielle Famolaro
*"Don't compromise yourself, You're all you've got."*



Richard Ferrucci
*"Great moments are born from great opportunity"*

Ashley Fink
*"Of all the friends I've ever met, you're the one I won't forget and if I die before you do I'll go to heaven and wait for you."*

Alexandria Fiorenza

Jessica Flaim

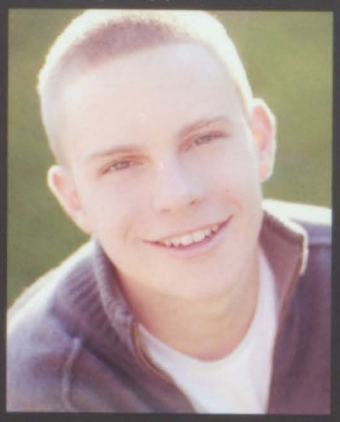
*"The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do."*

Thomas Fleming

Johnathan Fletcher

Cara Forbes

*"Graduate, what's a kid to do now get away we've got so much to prove growing up won't bring us down."*



Logan Fournier

*"We're here for a good time, not a long time." -Dougie W. Fresh*

Ashley Fox

Robert Fragapane Jr.

*"Never let someones opinion become your reality"*

Brandon Fuller

*"What makes you think thats okay?"*

Caitlyn Gallagher

Dalton Garrett

*"Growing up means watching my heros turn human in front of me"*

Lindsey Gates

*"If ya ain't first; yer last" - Ricky Bobby*

Haley Gawarecki

Melissa Gilbert

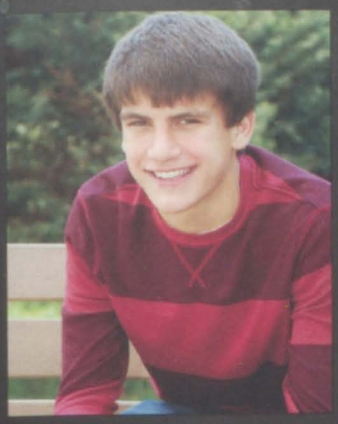
*"Even if the world is pulling you down with Christ you have everything." - Jb*

Jenna Gillen

*"The only people who truly know your story are the ones that helped you write it"*

Elizabeth Gleasman

*"Anyone can kill a field of flowers. But who can sit and just watch one grow?"*



Daniel Goewey
*"You can never cross the ocean unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore."*

William Goodwin

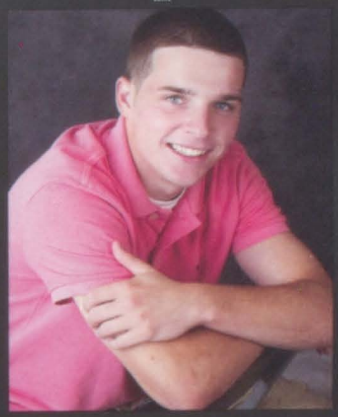
Jacob Gosier

Demi Grant
*"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."*

Kaysie Gregory
*"The error of the past is the wisdom of the future."*

Michael Grider
*"Live without pretending, Love without depending, Listen without defending, Speak without offending."*

Jonathan Griggs
*"Just Hoop" - J$*

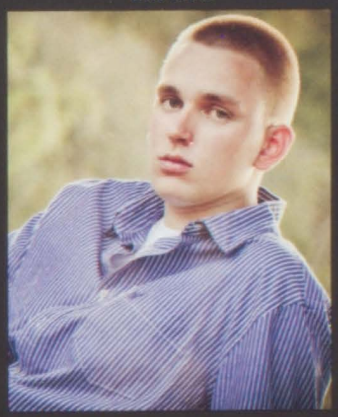


Jacob Gulla
*"We're just havin fun we don't care who sees."*

Johanna Gulla
*"Ain't no mountain high enough."*

Brandon Gullo

Taylor Haley
*"So many words, so much to see, so much to do, such things to be." -Tennyson*



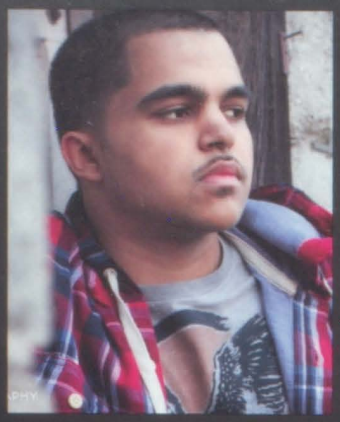
Corey Hanson
*"Do not go where the path may lead ; go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."*

Tanner Harding
*"The memories are already made, now you just have to remember."*

Anyssa Harris

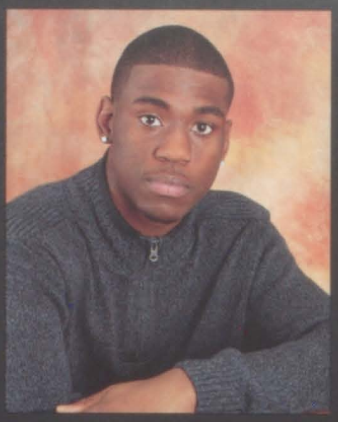
Chelsea Hatzinger

Marianna Haugen
*"Be yourself, you are the only you, you have."*



Deavon Hayes

Rebecca Hayes



Justin Henry

Joshua Hepworth

Christina Hernandez
*"I'm not there yet, but I'm closer than I was yesterday."*

Mia Hernandez

Saige Hernandez
*"The world holds two classes of men - intelligent men without religion and religious men without intelligence."*

Shiana Hernandez

Tevin Hill
*"My journey has ended just to begin again."*

Hazen Drew Hinman
*"Someday you'll just be a memory make sure it's a good one."*

Valerie Hluska
*"Wherever you go, go with all your heart."*

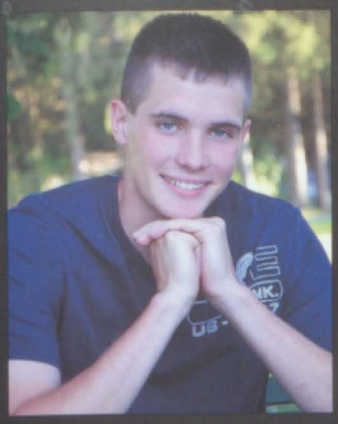
Rachael Hojnacki
*"Every song ends, Is that a reason to not enjoy the music?"*

Ashley House
*"We do not remember days; we remember moments." - Cesare Pavese*

Raymond Howard

Kaylee Hrynuk

Wilfredo Huembes
"...I know what I'm doing. I have it all planned out, plans to take care of you, not abandon you, plans to give you the future you hope for." Jeremiah 29: 10-11



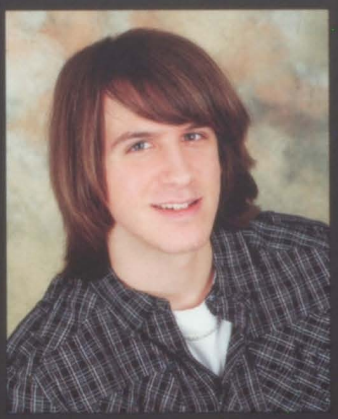
Ryan Hughes
*"Everytime I find the key to success, someone changes the lock" "Hawaiian Shirt Friday"*

Malynda Hunt

Adam Hutchings

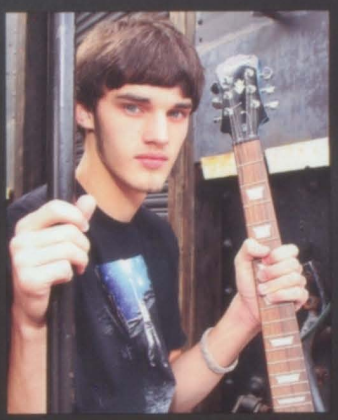
Olivia Jackson Brown
*"An error doesn't become a mistake unless you refuse to change."- Neo Queen Serenity*

Stephanie Jaegers



Michael Janes

Desiree Jansen



Brandyn Jaynes
*"I'd rather laugh with the sinners than cry with the saints."*

Amber Johnson
*"Love your friends, die laughing."*

Ashley Johnson

Rebecca Johnson
*"Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened"*

Joann Jones
*"I'm not telling you it's going to be easy, I'm telling you it's going to be worth it."*

Kristy Jones
*"Call me over rated creative or too jaded, because any way you put it, I made it."*

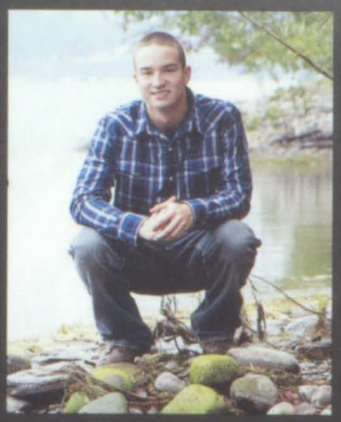
Eric Joyce
*Patience*

Megan Kaier
*2012 - Not the end, but just the beginning*

Lauren Keaney

Scott Kimmel

Tyler King
*"Ascend until your wings catch fire."*



Evan Kiskiel
*"Where I grew up, we rode in trucks." - Luke Bryan*

Melissa Kobito
*"Nobody gets to live backward, look ahead, thats is where your future lies."*

Michael Kobito
*"Strivers achieve what dreamers believe" - Usher Raymond*

Billy Laird

Carissa Lapointe

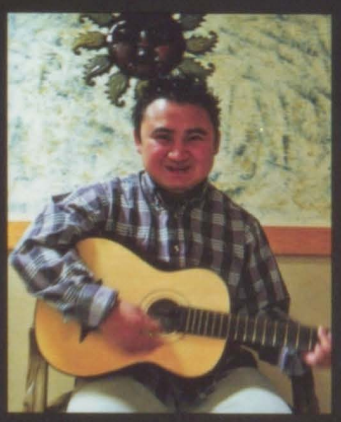
Tyler Larkin
*"250 pounds of twisted steel and sex appeal."*

Jenna LaRoy

Krystyna Last
*M.M.F member for life*

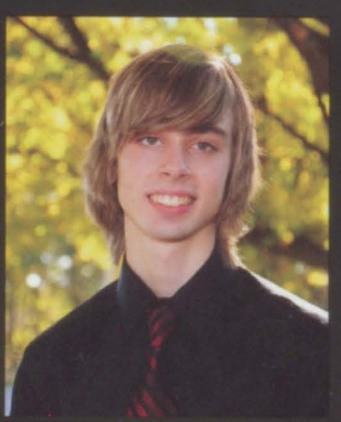
Corey Latendress

Mitchell Lauber



Sheh Lo Lay

Angela Layman
*"Keep opening your eyes wider, there is always more to see."*



Chase Lennon

Deanna Lewis
*"Always be yourself because the people that matter don't mind, and the people that mind don't matter."*

Gary Libby

Randolph Linderman

Samantha Lopez

Jacob Loson

*"You will never live if you are looking for the meaning of life."*

Joshua Luczak

Sara Luczak

*"I thought Hurricane season was over."*

Michael Madonia

Vicki Maitland

*"The sky's not the limit 'cause there's footprints on the moon." - Jimmy Wayne*

Gregory Malowicki

*"It is a mistake to think you can solve any major problems with just potatoes."*

Ashlee Manna

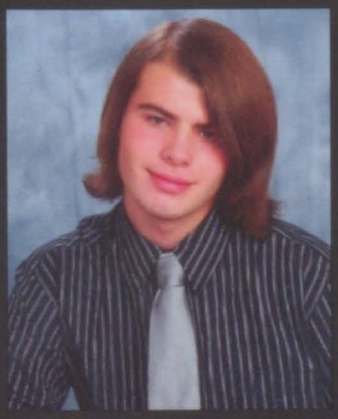
*"Stand up for what is right. Even if you're just standing alone."*

Alyssa Marchesane

*"Life is a journey. It's not about where you go, but who you bring along."*

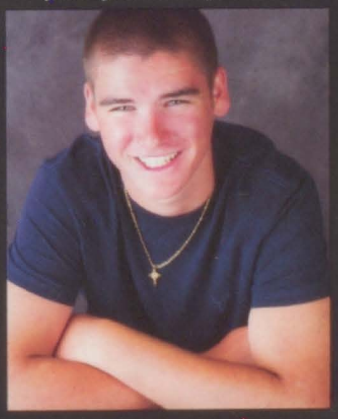
Jamie Marcinkowski

"Take each moment and make it last, before you know it the future's the past."



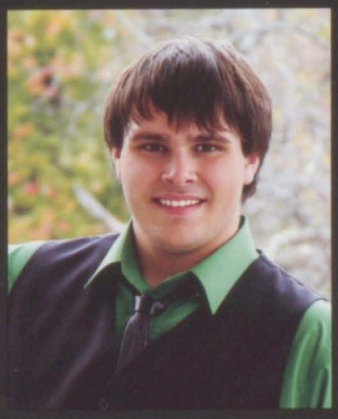
Cody Marrello

*"Meh"*



Glen Marsh

*"Work hard, play harder"*



Alexander Martin

*"You can't spell Awesome without me."*

Michael Martino

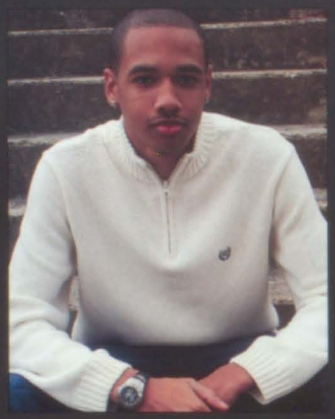
*"All around me are familiar faces, worn out places ... worn out places."*

Joseph Mastraccio
*"To give anything less than your best is to sacrifice the gift." - Steve Prefontaine*

Jared Mattie

Jena Mattie

Joshua Mazzaferro
*"God hates a coward."*

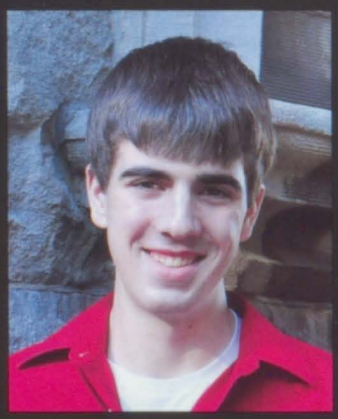


DeVante' McNair

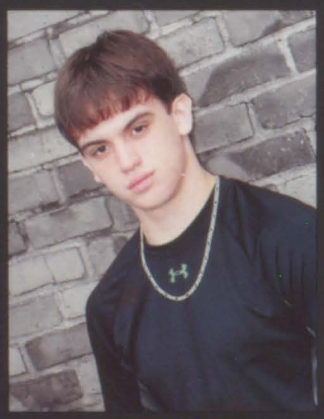
Brandon McSweeney
*"In a world filled with hate, we must still dare to hope." -Michael Jackson*

Mark Melioris
*"Follow your dreams, without worrying about judgements."*

Daniel Mendoza



Michael Mersereau



Ryan Metott
*"You got more junk in your trunk than I do in my car." - Eminem*

Connor Miller

Randy Miller

Kristen Moerler

Casey Montana

Kristin Moroughan
*"We'll stop the whole world from turning into a monster."*

Brittany Moselle
*" A wise girl kisses but doesn't love, Listens but doesn't believe and leaves before she is left " - Marilyn Monroe*

**Emily Mumpton**
*"Everything you do in life will be insignificant but it's very important that you do it." -Gandhi*

**Tiffany Mumpton**
*"I may die young, but at least I'll die smart."*

**Cassandra Nashton**
*"Therefore don't worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough troubles of its own." -Matthew 6:34*

**Kaylynne Nelson**

**Kevin Nelson**

**Billie-Jean Ng**

**Elizabeth Ng**

**Kerry Nobis**

**Storm Noblett**

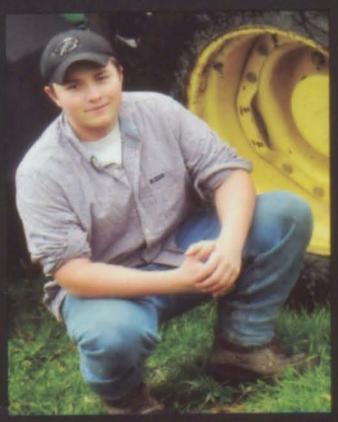
**Rachel Noone**
*"If it weren't for the last minute, I wouldn't get anything done."*

**Melissa Nowak**
*Got any grapes?*

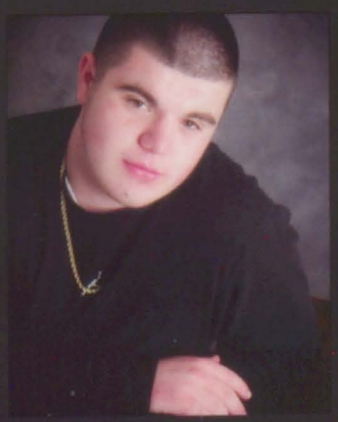
**Megan O'Connell**
*"Take what you can from your dreams make them as real as anything"*

**Amber O'Dell**
*"The things that come to those who wait will be the things left by those who got there first."*

**Briana Pallas**
*"Our greatest glory lies not in never falling, but in rising everytime we fall."*



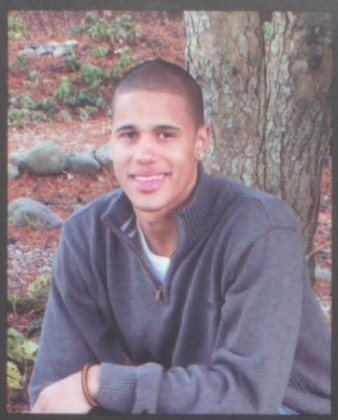
**Jacob Palmer**
*"Nights I can't remember with friends I'll never forget."*



**Michael Paolillo**
*Small thumbs, big heart.*

Cassie Parker
*"In this world where you can be anything, choose to be yourself."*

Timothy Parker



Lloyd Parkmond III
*"Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships."*
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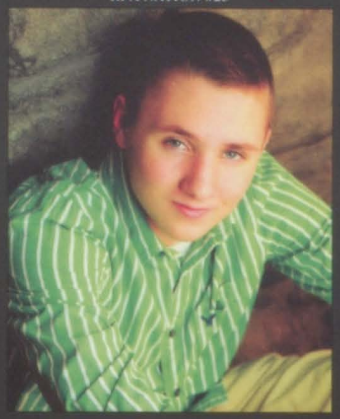
Danielle Parsons

Lucas Parzych

Marissa Patnode
*"You only live once but if you do it right once is enough"*



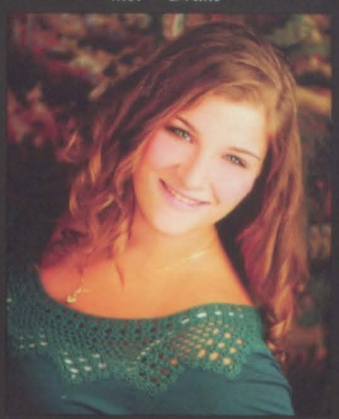
Daniel Patterson
*"I had a senior quote, and then i took an arrow in the knee." Danny P*

Michael Pekarski
*"To my surprise, nobody replacing me." - Drake*

Emily Peters
*"If it isn't muddy, then you ain't drivin' it right!"*

Joshua Pfeiffer
*"Everything has a price."*
*-Anne Bishop*

Ashleigh Phillips
*La Bella Vita*



Katrina Piemonte
*"A goodbye is never painful, unless you're never going to say hello again."*

Sierra Platt
*"Every action in this world will bear a consequence."*

Sarah Pope

Marykay Pruckno

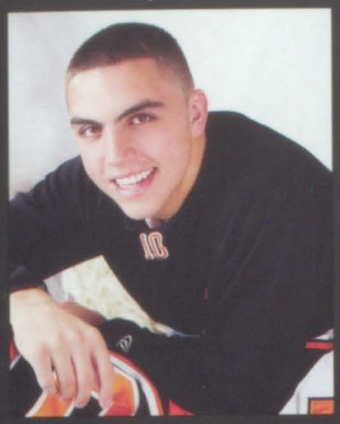
Alana Quance

Mila Raffai
*"Believe you can and you are half way there"*

Sianna Raphial
*"Tonight we are young, so let's set the world on fire, we can burn brighter than the sun"*

Sawyer Razy
*"We are simply Romans" -KB*

Kobie Reed
*"If lots more of us loved each other, we would solve lots more problems"*



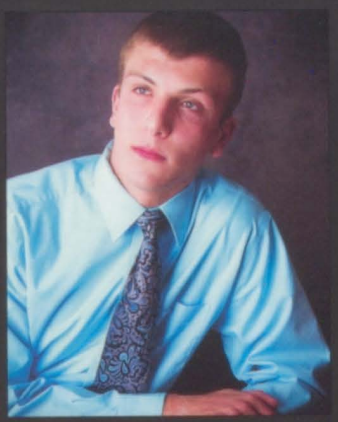
Garrett Reilley

Ryan Reilley

Mary Resnach
*"Be the change you want to see in the world"*

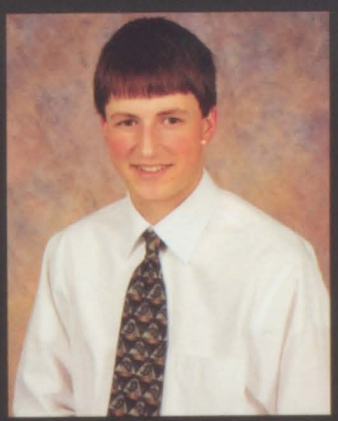
Richelle Reynolds

Nakasha Richardson
*"This fast life soon shatters; cause after all the lights and screams; nothing but dreams matter."*



Connor Richie
*TGOD*

Brittany Riggleman



Kevin Riley
*"Never let fear or common sense stand in your way"*

Christina Rivera
*"It's on you, always has been, always will be."*

Israel Rivera
*"I'm a human being and I fall in love and sometimes I don't have control of every situation"*

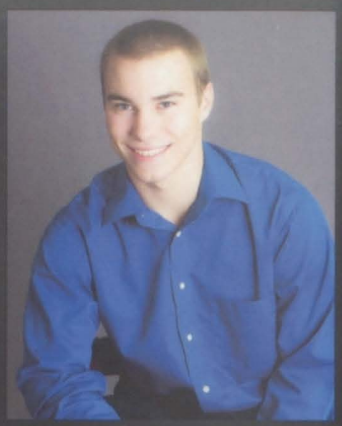
Kevin Robbins
*"Life's a garden dig it." -Joe Dirt*

Shayla Robinson

Brittany Rogers
*"Don't let the fear of striking out, keep you from playing the game."*

Mia Rondinelli
*"Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take but by the moments that take our breath away."*

Jack Rotolo

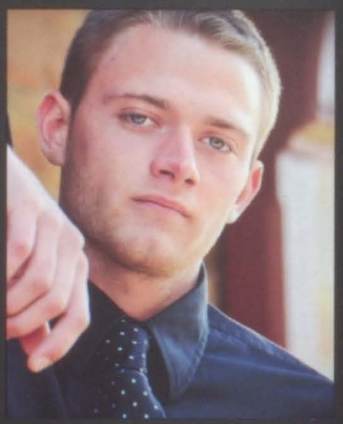


Justin Rutz

Brandon Salisbury

Caitlin Sanabria
*"Just another page in my success story. I make my worst enemies wish the best for me."*

Kelsi Sanzone
*"Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss you'll land among the stars."*



Dylan Sbarglia
*"All the leaves are brown." -MATHD*

Melissa Schisler
*"The few. The proud. The Marines SEMPER FI"*

Halie Schoff
*"Everything happens for a reason."*

Rebecca Schultz
*"Live without pretending, love without depending."*

Holly Schwenning
*"From autumn days, to summer breaks, I've made it,standing tall outside your cell, watch me spread my wings."*

Kiersten Scott
*"Love dares you to care for the people on the edge."*

Kendee Serra
*"Wanting to be someone else is a waste of the person you are."*

Derek Sexton
*"I reject your reality and substitute my own."*

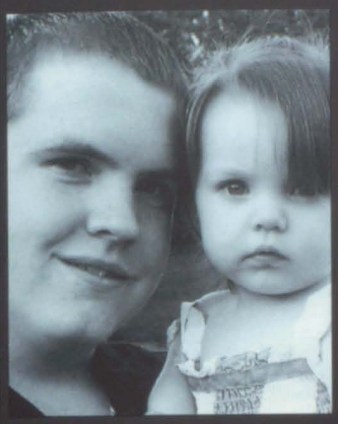
Samuel Shields
*"The only risk you should avoid at all cost is the risk of doing nothing."*

Jennifer Simmons

Samantha Simmons
*"During your life never stop dreaming. No one can take away your dreams"*

Jacqueline Sirni
*"Live for today and pray for tomorrow " - Drake*

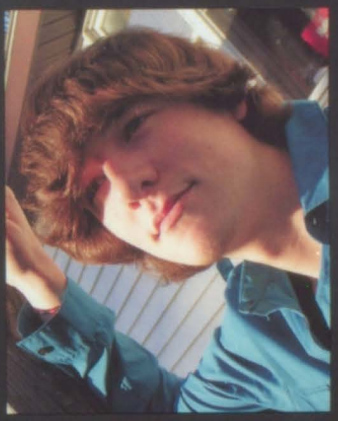
Sydney Sjoblom



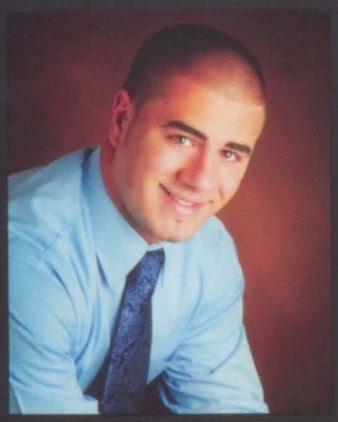
Dustin Smith

Michael Smith
*"Take the road less travelled"*

Troy Smith
*"Today is tomorrow we worry about yesterday"*



Kyle Snell
*"A goal not written down is only a wish"*



Richard Stapleton
*"America" -MATHD*

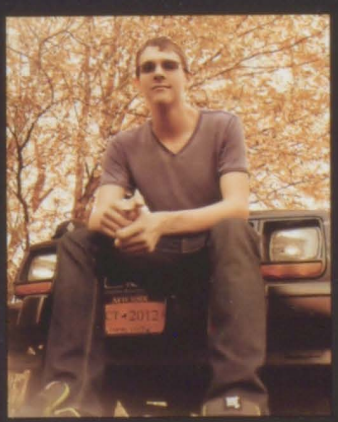
Natalie Streifert

Elizabeth Sylvester
*"Everything popular is wrong"*

Marissa Szablewski

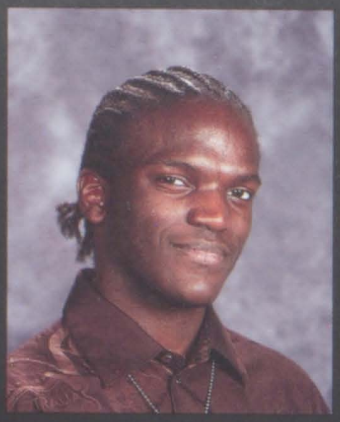
Michael Tamburrino
*"I may not have gone where I intended to go, but I think I have ended up where i needed to be"*

Courtney Tasco
*"Cherish the post and embrace the future"*



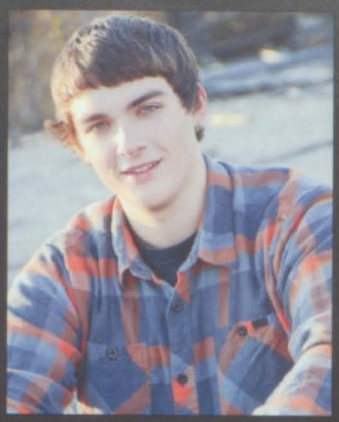
Cameron Taylor
*"Take the dirt road less traveled"*

Kayla Taylor



Tre ' Devon Taylor

Aaron Tennant
*A.T. in the building chea chea. My legacy will never be forgotten!*



Ryan Thayer
*"Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today"*

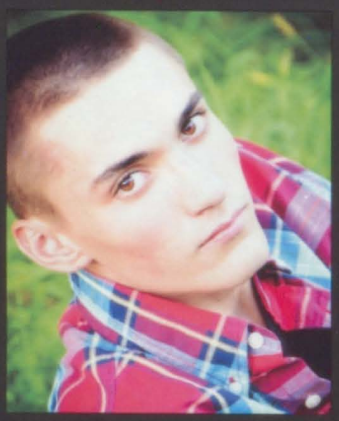
Jenna Theall

Richard Theall
*"No matter where I go, there I am"*

Dylan Thomas

Andrew Tolpa

Tomas Torres III

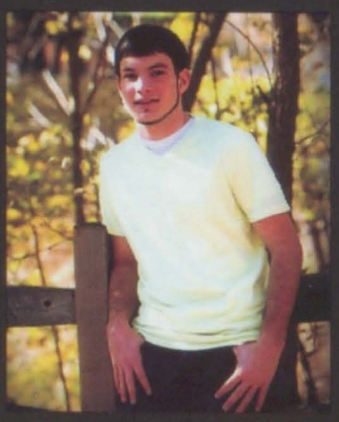


Brandon Trautner

Derek Uvanni
*"Good luck, and be good to those who deserve it."*

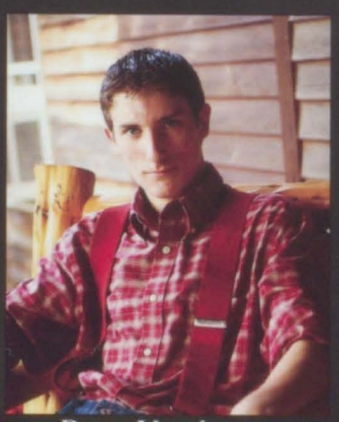
Michael Vacheresse

Antoinette Valdes
*"It's amazing how productive doing nothing can be"*

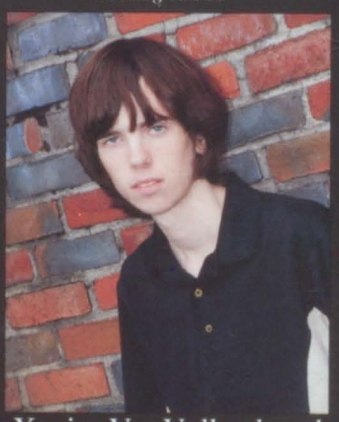


Michael Vanderhoof
*"I live for the nights that I can't remember with the people that i won't forget"*

Nicole Vanderjagt
*"Ignore the risk and take the fall- if it's meant to be, it's worth it all"*



Ryan Vandresar
*"Nights I can't remember with friends I'll never forget"*



Xavier VanValkenburgh
*"If you come to a fork in the road, take it"*

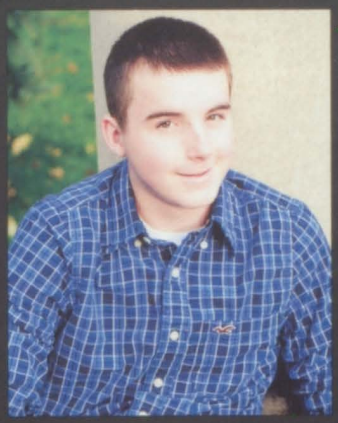
Alicia Varano

Erika Vaughn
*"Moments have passed, memories do last"*

Lacey Vaughn

Michael Verostek
*"Imagination is everything. It is the preview of life's coming attractions"*

Ryan Vinci



Thomas Warcup

Hannah Wasco
*"Life isn't about finding yourself, it's about creating yourself."*

Austin Welch

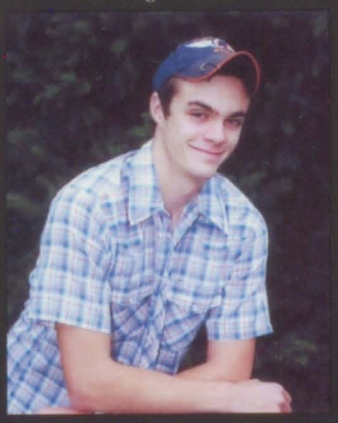
Joel Wenndt
*"I may be wrong, but I doubt it!" - Charles Barkley "Hawaiian Shirt Friday"*

Cara Wheeler
*"I believe that happiness is something we create."*

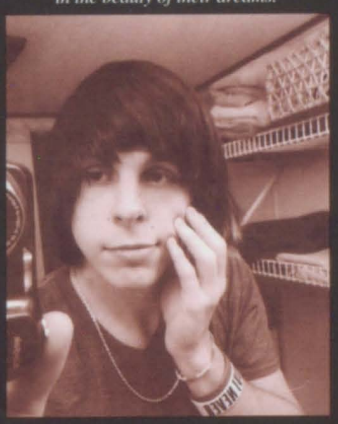
Courtney Wheeler
*"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."*

Chad Wheeler

Erica White

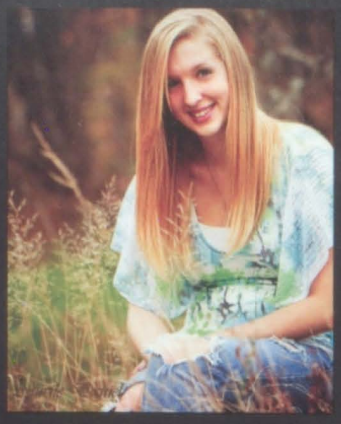


Mitchell Whitman
*"Nights I can't remember, with the friends i'll never forget."*



Adam Wilkinson

Brandon Willis



Destiny Wishart

*"The world needs dreamers and the world needs doers. Above all, the world needs dreamers who do."*

Jonathan Wood

Victoria Zecca

Colin LaRoche

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Bleichert, Shonda
Bluman, Allan II
Bridgman, Schylar
Centro, Eric
Champion, Tammy
Christman, Devine
Clark, Desmond
Coluccio, Aaron
Come, Amber
Conover, Joseph
Coonrod, Katlyn
Crever, Chad
Cromwell, Justin
Davis, Dakota
Degeorge, Andre
DesChambeau, John
Donlon, Katie
Dy, Melo
Felix, Nicolas
Fey, Minda
Garcia, Bianca
Gaudin, Ronald
Geary, Amber
Guerrieri, Alaina
Hernandez, Ramon
Hosler, Raymond
Hougan, Marianna
Howard, Raymond
Johnson, Mirrissa
Kerr, Michael
Kozak, Dallas
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Martin, Nathan
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Menard, Ciara
Miller, Wayne
Morrison, Victoria
Murphy, Brandon
Nolan, Torin
Patnode, Andrew
Powell, Kiel
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Puchyr, Ashley
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Rotenberry, Emily
Russell, Stephen
Santmyer, Tiffany
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Secor, Tyler
Seifert, Andrew
Sidney, Samantha
Siedsma, Sarah
Simon, Sterling
Smith, Dustin
Stosal, Steven
Talbot, Crystal
Thomas, Sarah
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Torchia, Kevin
Vacca. Justin
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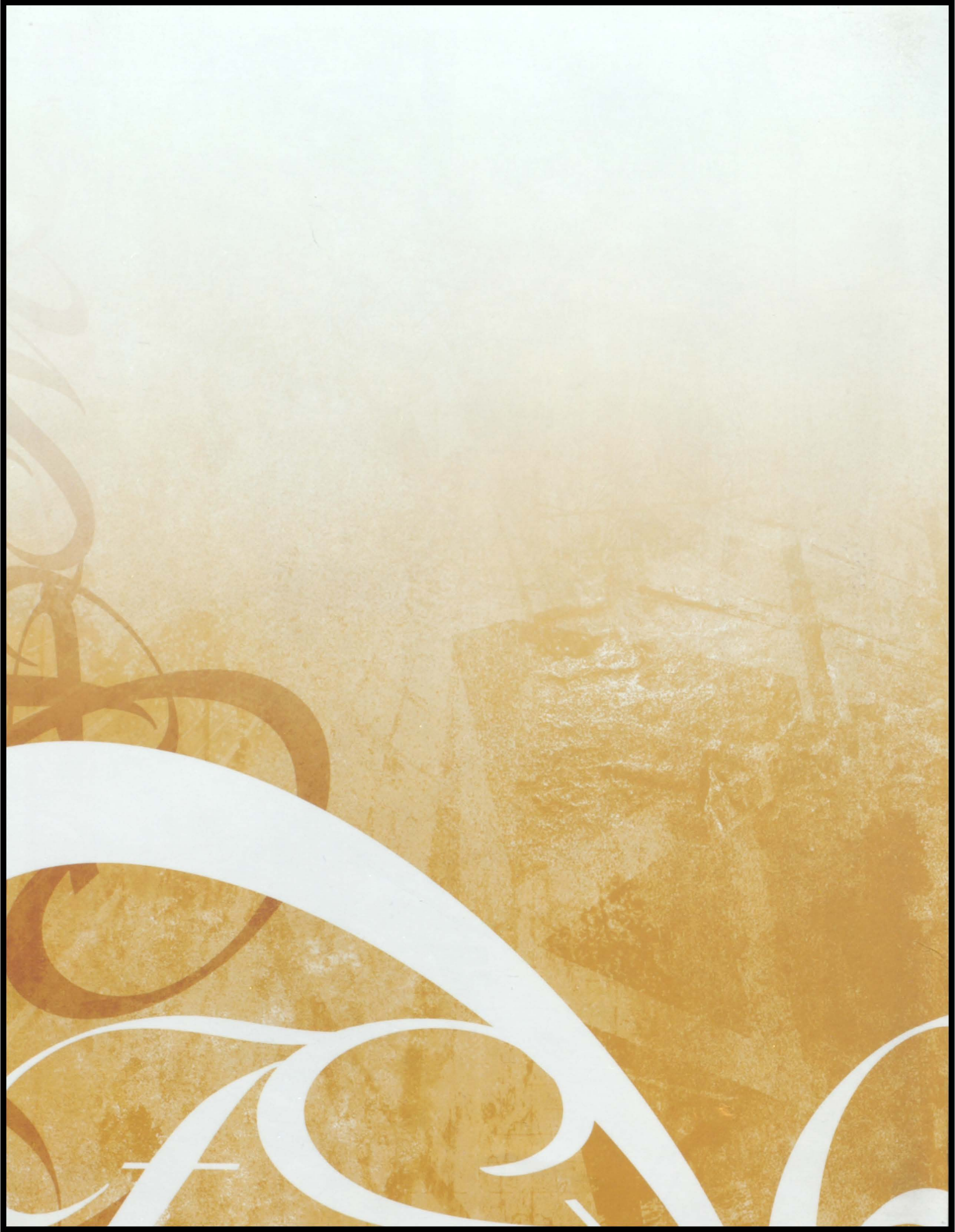


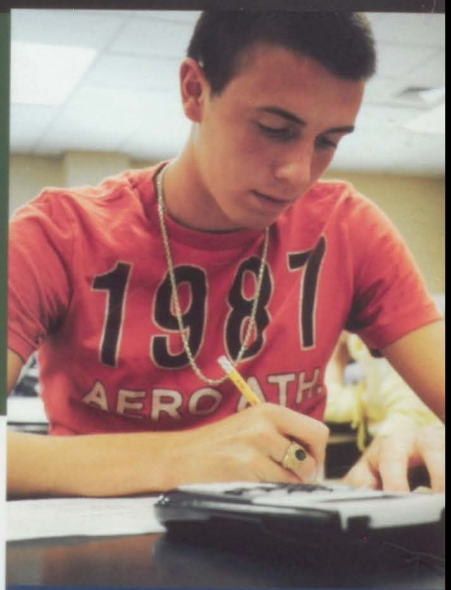
Whenever your feeling down Franchesca Santiago will always make you smile and Peeratep Chinwong will always give you a high five =)

In the new fall heat of fusion held outdoors the Junior class swept the board. Our Junior class came in first place this fall followed by the seniors. Let's do it all again in next years heat of fusion.

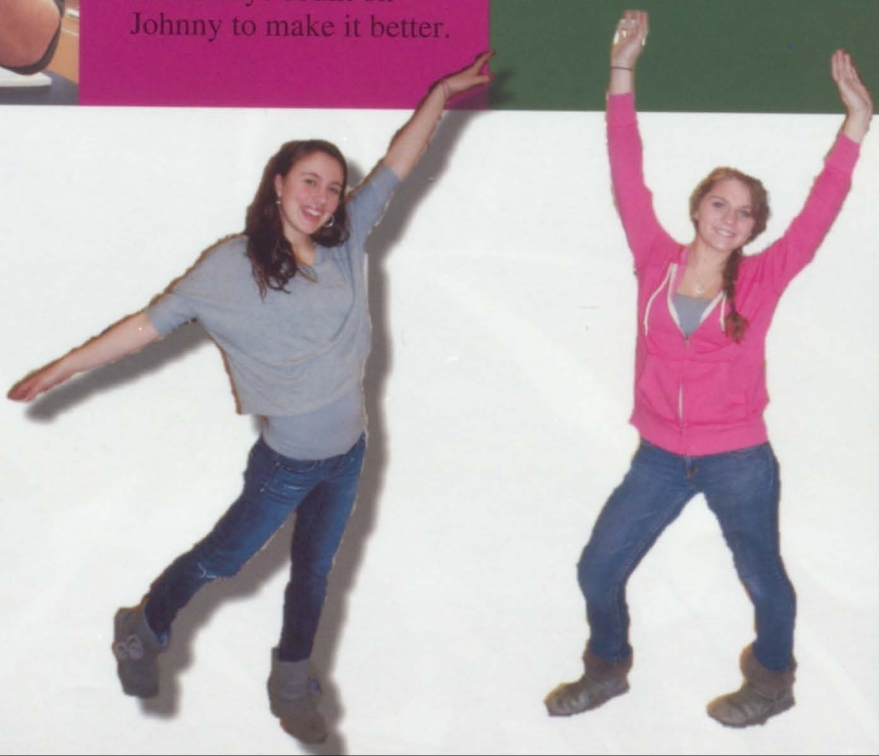
"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." -Henry David Thoreau

Johnny is a common face in the junior class. You can always get a good laugh when Johnny is around. No matter how your day has been you can always count on Johnny to make it better.

Matt Silver works hard in class. As next year approaches we all will be looking toward college and continuing our road of education.

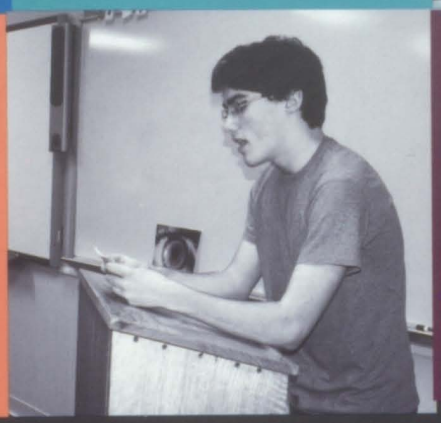



What does it mean to be a Junior at RFA? Taylor Uvanni and Bianca Johnson are all theatrical and ready for the changes that will come with the end of Junior year and the beginning of all the challenges of senior year.

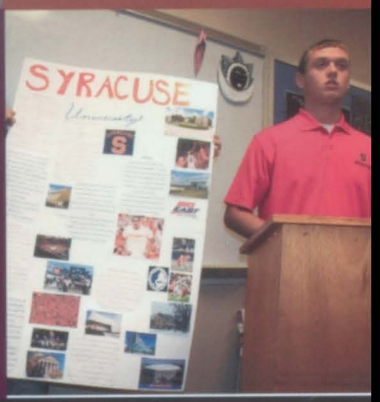


Maya Nelson and Faith Daniels pose for a picture after school in the library. Friends are the people who help you through the good and bad times throughout high school

Callahan Hughes discuses one of his beliefs of donating organs to Ms.Colangelo's class first period.



Looking towards college Kyle Dombrowski gives a speech about his favorite which is Syracuse University in his english class.




# Juniors

## Class of 2013

### Three years Down & one to Go!

Our time here at RFA is rapidly coming to an end. We have come so far in these past three years and we will go so much farther in our next year ahead of us as seniors. So let's go ahead confidently and make the best of our last year because we will always remember our junior year as we continue in the direction of our dreams.

# JUNIORS

Autumn Swavley, and Taylor Uvanni smiling in science class.

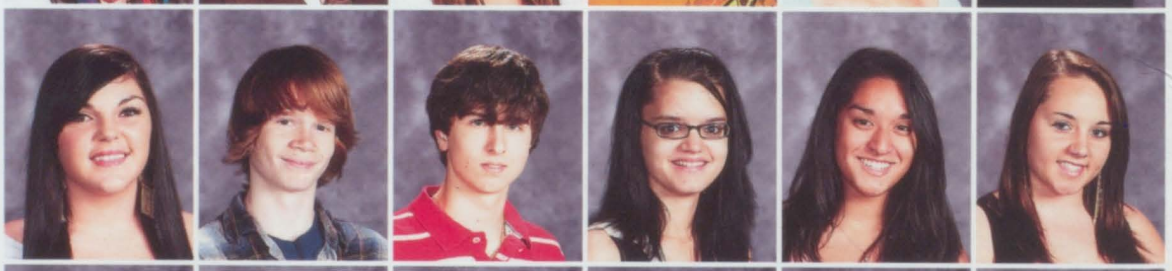
Krista Anken, Sheila Olney, and Kayli Smith slipping and sliding.

Vice President Abigail Nickles, Treasurer Ryan Noone, President Michael Mellace, Secretary Lauren Popovich.

Abbott, Teisha
Abrams, Robert
Acevedo, Gabriel
Ackley, Michael
Adams, Kenneth
Agosto, Aaron

Aiello, Nicole
Allen, John
Anken, Krista
Archer, Erin
Arredondo, Devyn
Aye, Than

Ayer, Chelsea
Bachmann, Robert
Bailey,Michael
Ballard, Gabrielle
Barrios, Andrea
Bartlett, Lindsey



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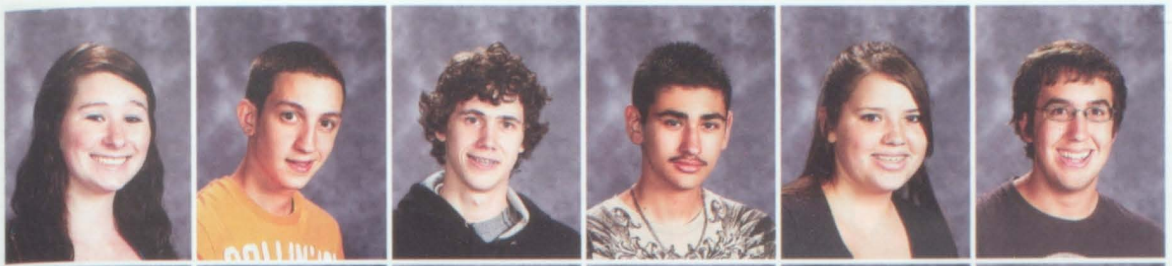
Bates, Marissa
Beatty, Marcus
Beckwith, Kimberly
Bendall, Jonathan
Benedict, Richard



Bielby, Bryn
Bird, Zachary
Bishop, Matthew
Bladecki, Bradley
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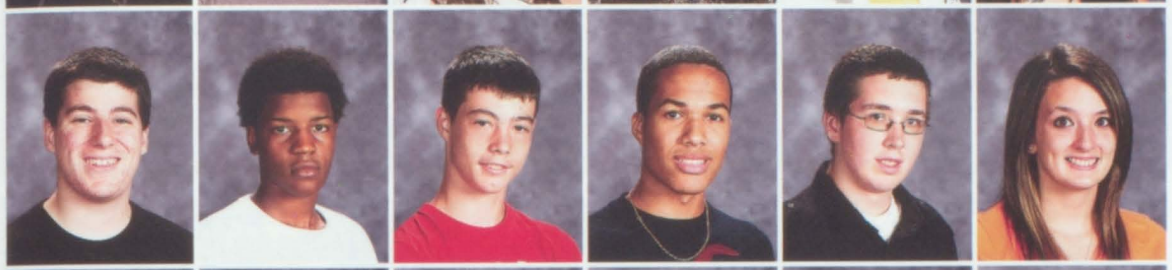
Bojanek, Kyle

Bonanza, Nicolas
Boyd, Tyler
Brady, Bianca
Bravo, Alexis
Bray, Emily
Bristol, Janine

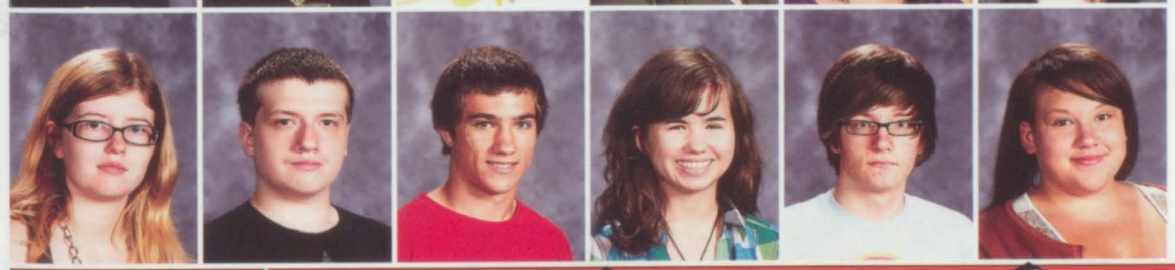


Brown, Liam
Brown, Matthew
Brown, Michael - John
Bryant, Jarrod
Buckner, William
Burk, Desiree

Burk, Robin
Burke, Seth
Burns, Brittany
Burris, Adam
Butler, Aaron
Byrnes, Briana

Camp, Zachariah
Campau, Abbie
Canarelli, Sarah
Capponi, Rocky
Carinci, Cassandra
Carissimo, Christina

Carman, Joshua
Carpenter, Morgan
Carter, Immanuel
Casadei, Selena
Castro, Genesis
Cavaggioni, Isabella



Champlin, Danielle
Cheney, Jason
Cheri, Nicolas
Chien, Katherine
Christensen, Tymen
Chrystie, Alyssa

Jordan General

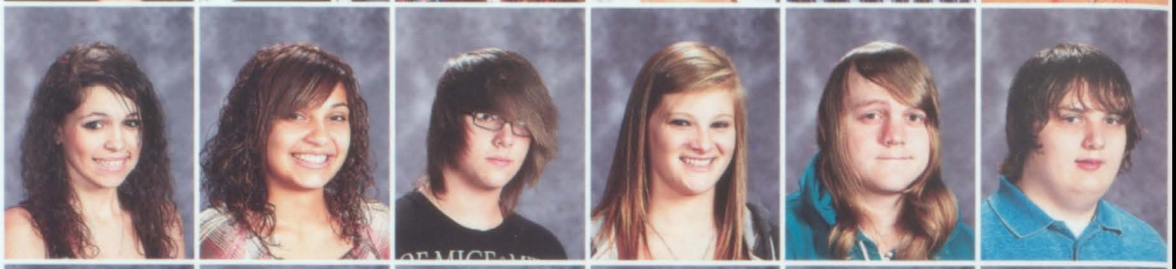
Josh Carman

Crystal Blumen

Nick Mecca

Ciaccia, Kristina
Clark, Casey
Clark, Cassidy
Clark, Kayla
Coia, Kyle
Colangelo, Alysia

Coleman, Alexis
Collins, Alyssa
Come, Kyle
Come, Stacey
Converse, Richard
Cook, Daniel



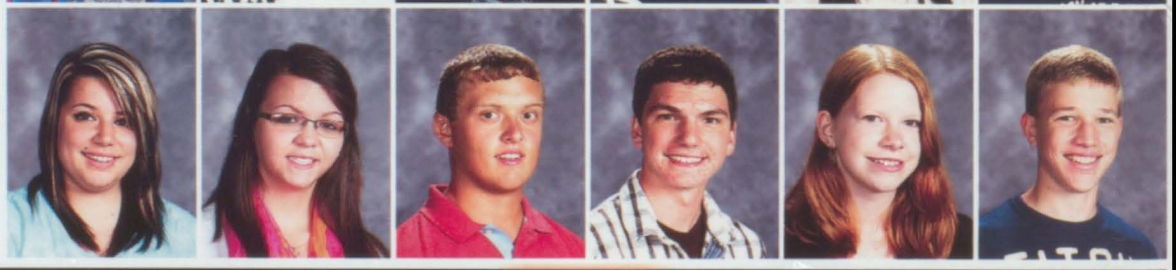
Cooke, Jeffrey
Coonrod, Patricia
Cousins, Jessica
Cox, Cristofer
Crofford, Kyle
Cross, Kevin

Crossman, Ashleigh
Crouse, Alyssa
Cullop, Shannon
Curtis, Jr James
D'Amore, Ashley
Daniels, Faith

Dantzler, Shionna
Darois, Nicolette
Darois, Victoria
Davis, Brandon
Davis, Jr. Bruce
Davis, Charlotte

Davis, Jacob
Davis, Travis
Deeley, Jordan
Deluco, Antonio
Demorrow, Debra
Dibble, Dylan

Dipasqua, Iana
Dole, Maggie
Dombrowski, Kyle
Domenico, Sebastian
Drake, Kendra
Draper, Thomas



**Left: A group of Mr. Natishak's physics students count their steps in the hallway!**

**BSI students do the morning announcements to start the day off right!**

**Left: Jessica Fazio enjoys the comfortable chairs in the library Right: Jacob Pohl shows his Syracuse pride!**

**Right: Aaron Agosto and Tyler Baldwin smile at the camera during accounting! You guys found some extra cash?**

**Left: Sam Puccio and Frank Flanigan study, of all things, during studyhall!**

Duck, Scott
Duffy, Devin
Dupont, Cameron
Durbin, Dylan
Durso, Alyxandra
Eggan, Gabrielle

Ellinger, Amberlyn
Elmer, Kayla
Ernenwein, Brett
Falzarano, Melissa
Fanelli, Mark
Farber, Steven

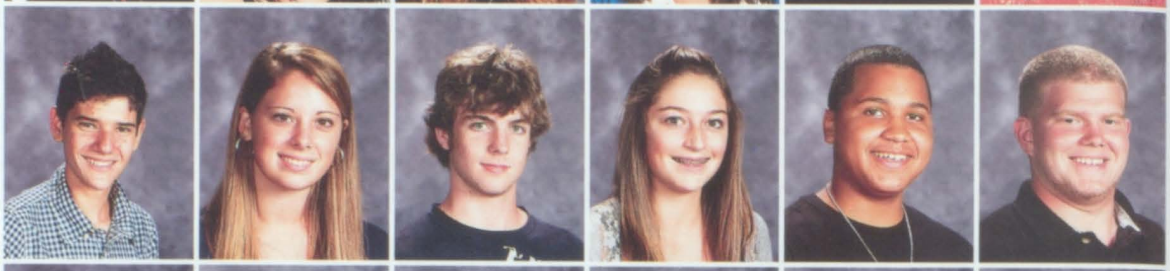
Fazio, Jessica
Feldman, Kyle
Felice, Lauren
Feliciano, Christian
Feole, Derek
Ferlo, Sebastian

Ferrare, Gabrielle
Finkle, Roger
Finley, Danielle
Fish, Jacob
Flanigan, Connor
Flanigan, Frank

Fleming, Joseph
Fletcher, Terrance
Fox, Jenna
Frankey, Jonathan
Gallagher, Jessica
Gannon, John

Garcia-Rodriguez, Xavier
Geary, Meghan
General, Jordan
Giardino, Sonita
Gleasman, Joshua
Goewey, Livia

Gonzalez, Nicolas
Gray, Abigail
Green, Louis
Guy, Mckenzie
Hairston, Mason
Hall, Timothy



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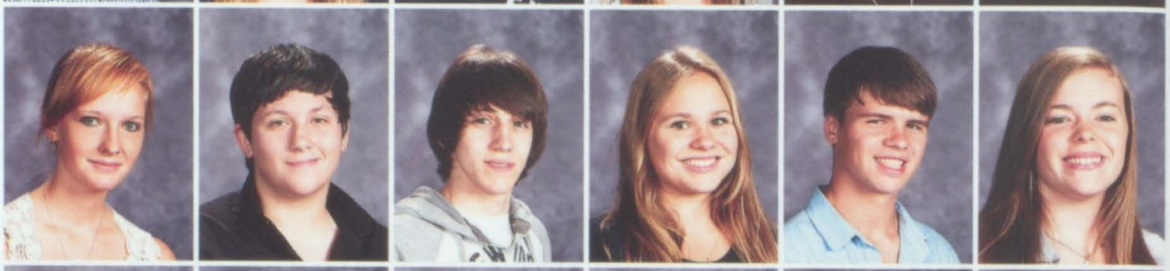
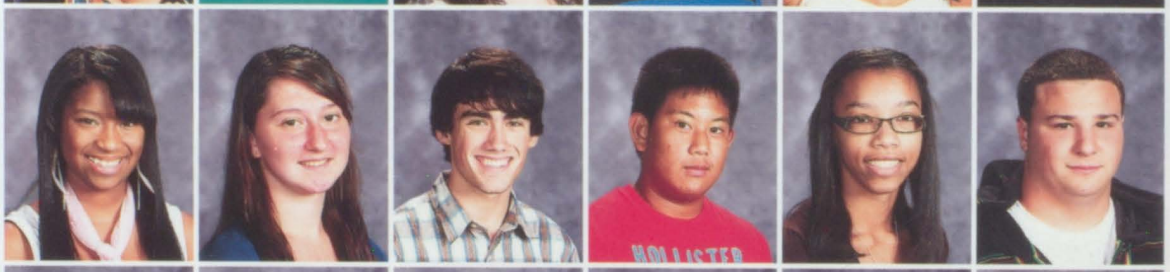
Hanrahan, Sara
Hart, Tyler
Hawkins, Teira
Hawkins, Thomas
Hayes, Carissa



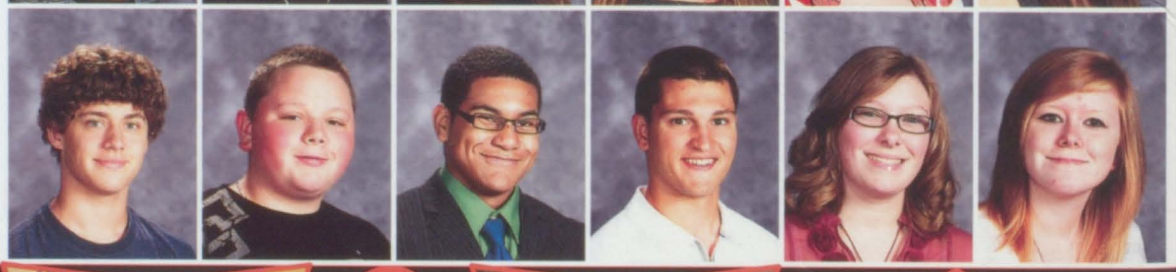
Heard, Holly
Hecox, Jesse
Henry, Casey
Hernandez, Aaron
Himes, Michelle
Hollis, Zachary

Holmes, Quiana
Howard, Amber
Hughes, Callahan
Hunziker, Tavin
Husband, Dana
Iacone, John



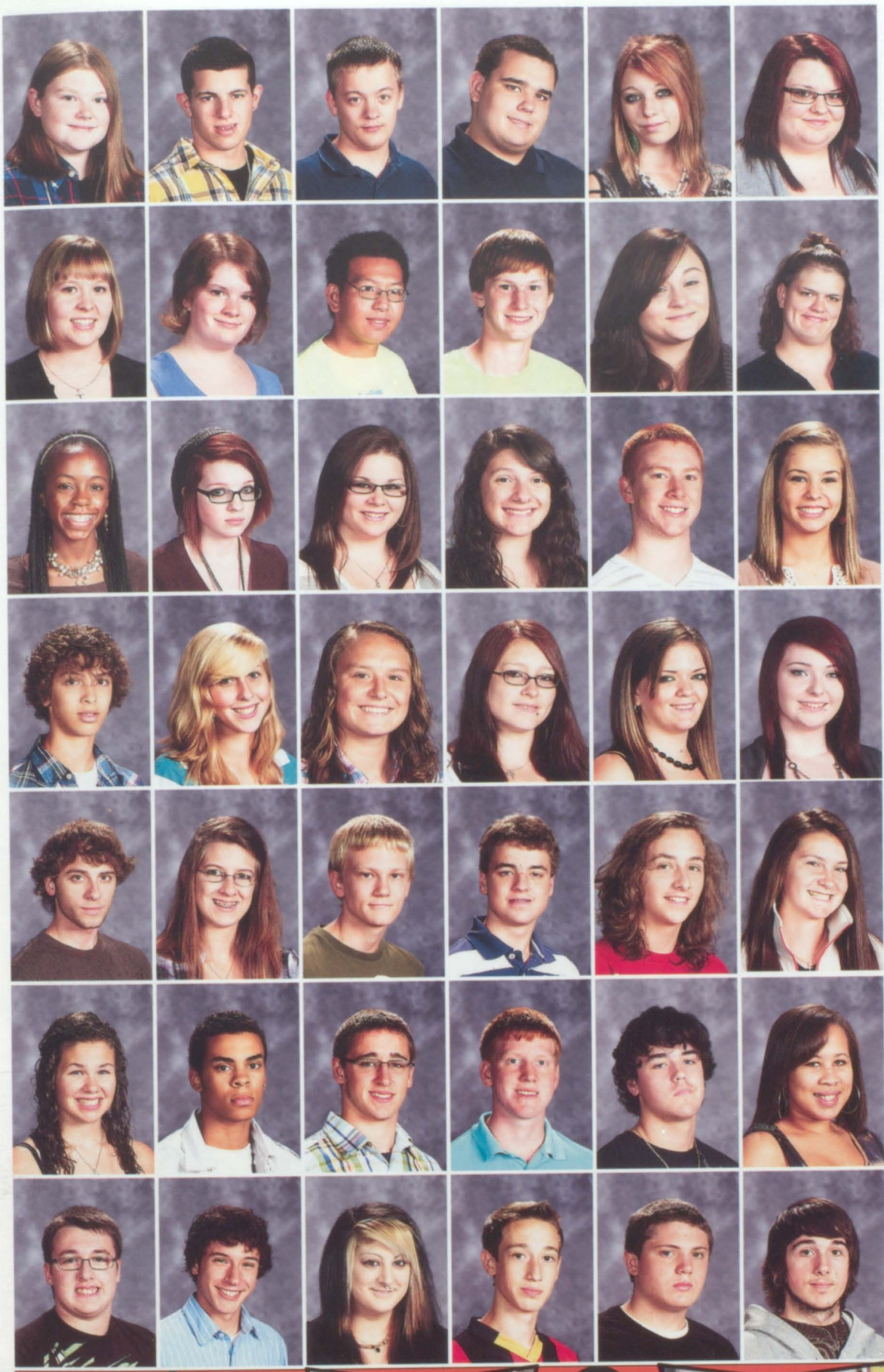
Ives, Alyssa
Jensen, Michael
Johnson, Alessandra
Johnson, Allaina
Johnson, Ashley
Johnson, Bianca

Johnson, Christian
Jones, Daniel
Joseph, Khadeem
Kahler, Spencer
Kantor, Candice
Kelly, Jordain



*Pristasia Norman, William Nonluecha, Emily Malowicki & Nicholahall Sweeney are hanging out during studyhall*

*Jordan General & Alexis Bravo poses for a picture after Tennis*



Kieffer, Rebecca
Knapp, Joshua
Lacey, Joshua
Lagasse, Andrew
Lagasse, Rochelle
Lansing, Kaitlyn

Lee, Jenna
Leitao, Amanda
Li, Barry
Linderman, Zachary
Linsell, Haliey
Lipphardt, Star

Lombardo, Tanya
Long, Emerald
Lounsbury, Kristin
MacDonald, Krista
Madeira, Anthony
Madonia, Alicia

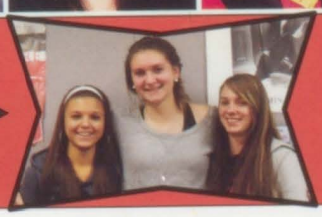
Mahl, Michael
Malowicki, Emily
Marineau, Alexis
Marshall, Jerralee
Marshall, Natasha
Martin, Cassandra

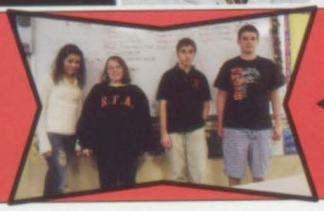
Martin, Jacob
Mathy, Bethany
Matt, Forrest
Matt, Ryan
Mazuzan, Austin
McCormick, Meghan

McCormick, Taylor
McIntyre Jr, Ervin
McKinney, Brett
Mcnichol, Ryan
Mecca, Nicholas
Medina, Stephanie

Medlin, Travis
Mellace, Michael
Meola, Nichole
Metzger, Joshua
Milligan, Hunter
Millson, Shaun

*Megan McCormick, Crystal Bluman & Brittney Schultz pose for a picture during studyhall*





*Alexis Coleman, Margaret Roblyer, Derek Feole & Kyle Crofford gather around for a picture*

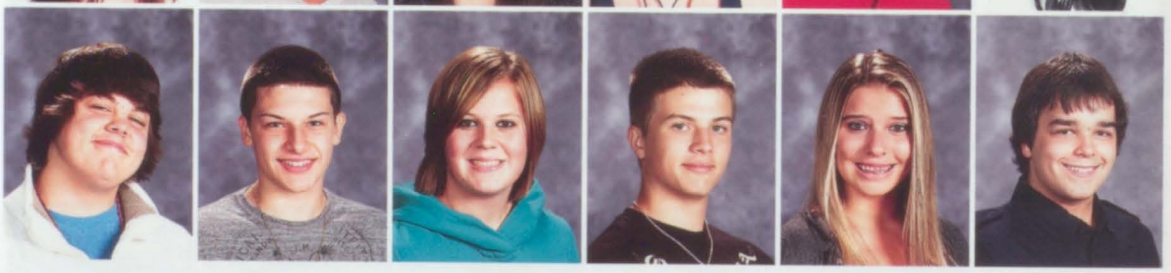
Minicozzi, Madelyn
Morris, Anna
Morris, Di'Ron
Morse, Matthew
Moselle, Brandon
Murphy, Travis

Nadeau, Joshua
Nagurney, Travis
Nelson, Maya
Nickles, Abigail
Nicolaus, Tyler
Nonluecha, William

Noone, Ryan
Norman Elena
Norman, Pristasia
Nouvong, Amanda
Nowicki, Lindsay
Noyes, Adam

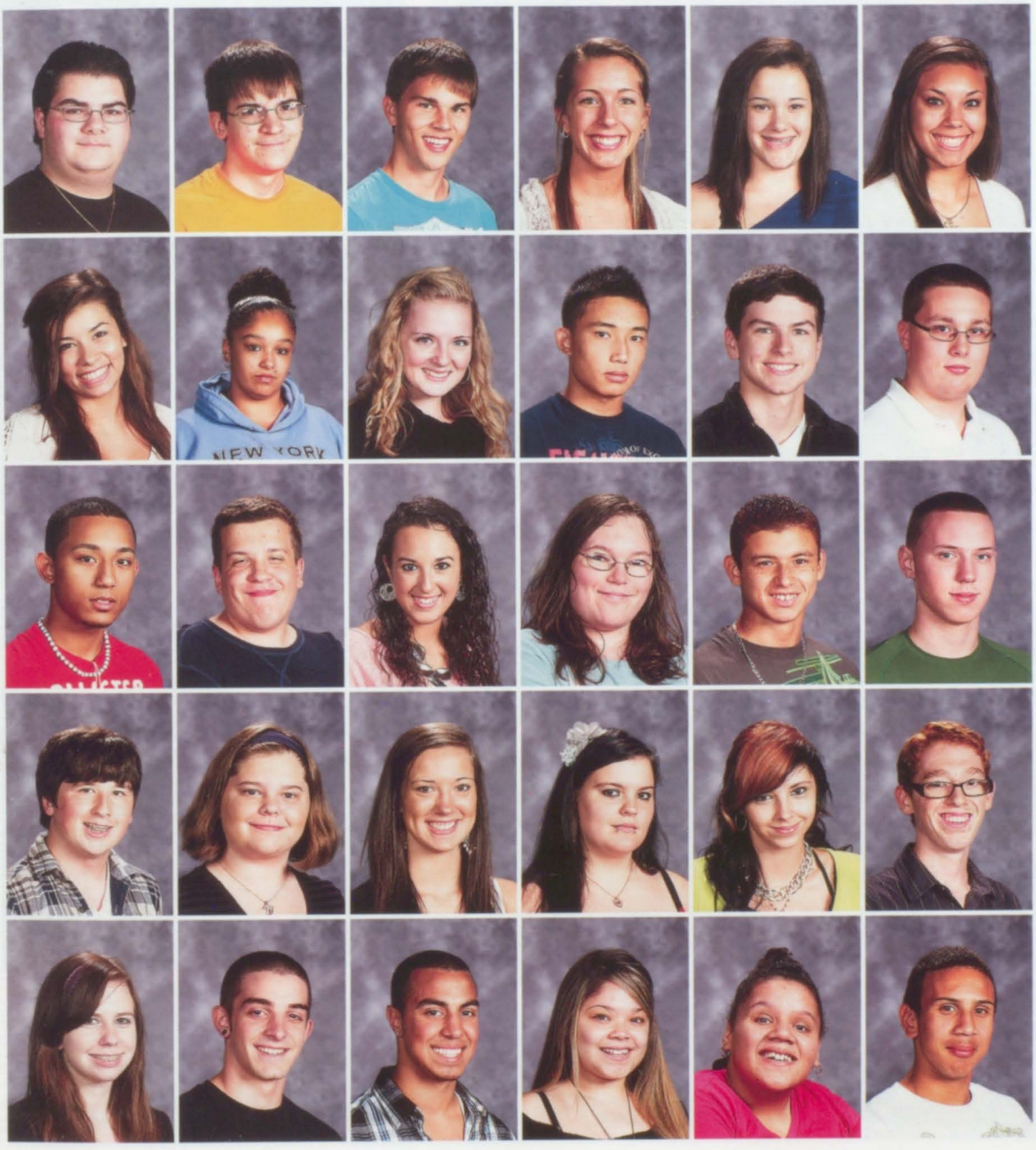
O'Herien, Mckenzie
Odlum, Curtis
Paquette, Jessica
Paul, Carson
Pawlikowski, Todd
Pearson, Randolph

Perks, Myles
Petroski, Zachary
Pfeifer, Brittany
Pich III, John
Pietrowski, Tierra
Pinti, Robert



Carpenter Zachary Swain levels the foundation he is building at Madison-Oneida BOCES.

Rochelle Lagasse, an Early Childhood professional, works on putting a puzzle together.



Pirillo, Jonathan
Plumb, Gerald
Pohl, Jacob
Popovich, Lauren
Premo, Hannah
Puma, Vita

Raffai, Natasha
Rainwater, Latisha
Ramsdale, Samantha
Rando, Accele
Redmond, Dylan
Reis, Kain

Reyes, Emmanuel
Riopel, Andew
Ripa, Domenica
Roblyer, Margaret
Rodriguez- Valentin, Kevin
Ross, Andrew

Rossi-Armstrong, Brett
Rouillier, Cassandra
Royce, Kaitlin
Russell, Ashlee
Russell, Carly
Russell, Evgeniy

Russello, Nica
Sacco, Anthony
Salloum, Benjamin
Sanabria, Caitlin
Santiago, Franchesca
Santiago, Harry

Santmyer, Brianna
Sanzone, Alexa
Schlieder, Sydney
Schneider, Elizabeth
Sciorilli, Charley
Seifert, Michael

Serrano, Joseph
Shalna, Stephen
Shaver, Candice
Silver, Matthew
Simmon, Samantha
Singletary, Alexander

Skalski, Anna
Smith, Alexander
Smith, Britannia
Smith, Kayli
Sochia, Dorthy
Sochia, Mikenna

Solomon, Jordan
Sosa, Jessenya
Sperl, Tyler
Steacy, Richard
Stedman, Kylie
Steinberg, Eli

Stevens, Whitney
Storey, Epiphany
Striker, James
Stubba, Meghan
Swain, Zachary
Swancott, Jonathan

Swavely, Autumn
Sweeney, Erik
Sweeney, Nicholas
Szajer, Anthony
Tagliaferri, Jenna
Taylor, Aislinn

Taylor, Tiffany
Tibbits, Karissa
Tine, Mckenzie
Trifeletti, Devin
Trips, Joseph
Tucker, Tamaira

***Sonita Giardino***
***Q: What is your favorite pizza place & topping?***
***A: Tonys pepperoni***

Tuzzolino, Ross
Underwood, Regina
Uvanni, Taylor
Valentin, Kadisha
Vanasdale, Gene
Vanhoeven, Jacinda

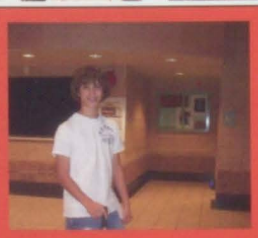
Varano, Jordynn
Vega, Jonathan
Vencek, Kaitlin
Veschusio, Marie
Warren, Zachary
Waterman, Cody

Waters, Brooke
Wattley, Cordell
Webb, James
Webb, Joshua
Webb, Lydia
Weir, Brianna

Weissmuller, Kylee
Welfel, Steven
Westcott Jr, Royal
Western-Womack, Imani
Whaley, Emily
White, Caitlin

Whitmore, Faith
Whooten, Taylor
Wickham, Tyler
Wilhelmsen, Curtis
Williams, Joshua
Winberg, Erik

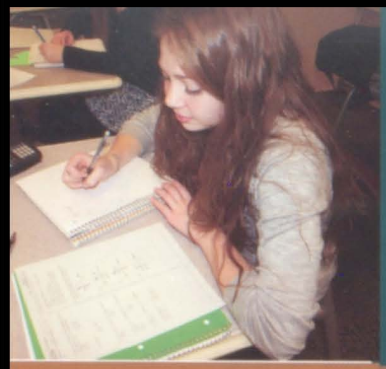
Wittmann, Alicia
Wolff, Hannah
Yeung, Tsz Sen
Zappavigna, Reanna
Zbiegien, Ryan
Zeszutko, Kenneth



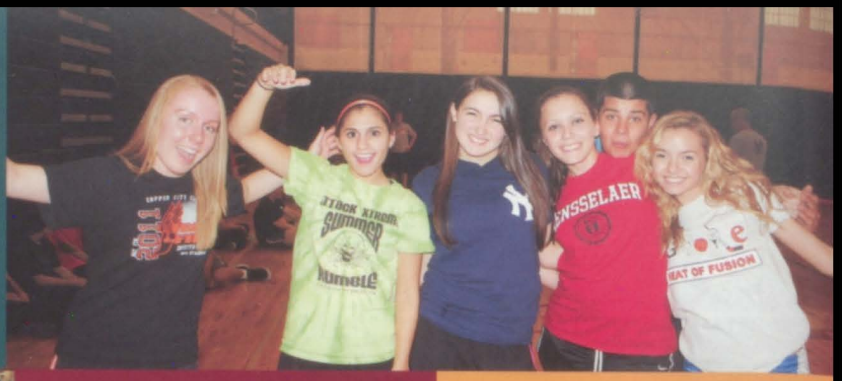
Mike Mahl while in physics!

Andrea Barrios giving an oral presentation in English class

Nicole Aiello aka The Mad Hatter on Halloween



SILLY SOPHOMORES: Nicole Mcreynolds, Courteney Fiorenza, Karlie Matt, Holly Hash, Anthony Pacicca, and Rebecca Coffman goof off in gym class.

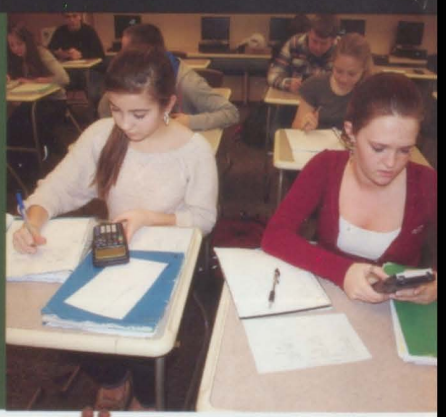


Studious Student: Emily Tardugno working hard for success.

Due belle ragazze Haleigh Cavalier and Alexandria Samuels give a big thumbs up in Italian class.

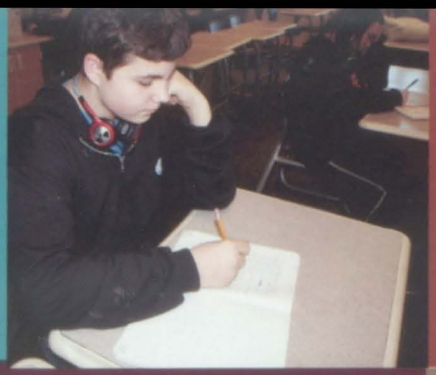
Drew Deblasiis makes a sign for the hallway promoting an event.

Marvelous Math Workers: Marisa Castro and Caity Herber figuring out some math work.



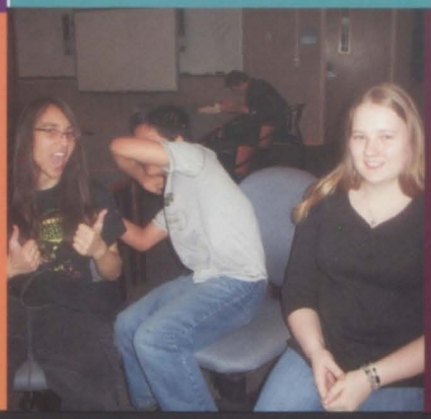
Jump up, Jump up and Get down...

Dylan Fournier and Jake Luczak couldn't be happier to prowl around the halls of RFA.



Timothy Szajer being a hard working student.

Camera shy? Logan Hughes, Mar Htool, Abigail Houle have fun in class.



Alexandria Vanpatten, Alexia Gualtieri show off their crazy hats for hat day.

# Sophomores

## Class of 2014

### Off to a great start

Two years down, Two more to go. WOW! Our first two years here have been both a new place & a fun time. We have been considered the underclassmen, but FINALLY, we will be one of the two classes as upperclassmen! As Junior year is approaching, we are looking forward to the new memories but we won't forget our previous ones. Although we have already begun to leave our legacy at RFA, these next two years we will continue to create it as the Class of 2014!

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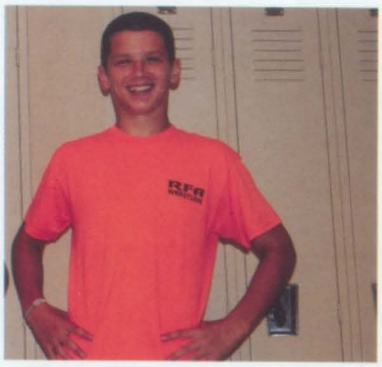
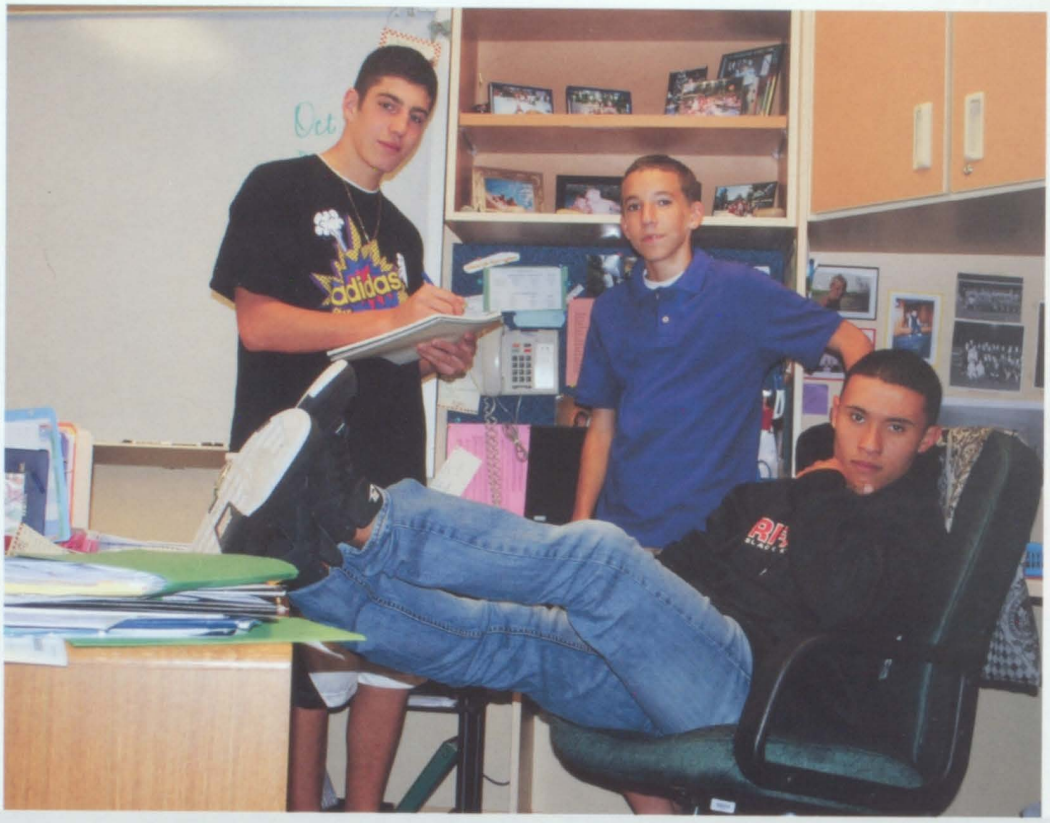
Shelby Clark and Jade Santiago at the homecoming game.




Collin Newman showing off his RFA pride.




Secretary Nick Nardslico, Vice President Bruce Entelisano, President Justin Hussey.

Abel, Tanner
Adamik, Matthew
Adorino, Bernard
Alder, Robert
Allen, Jonah
Alshaman, Aaron

Amici, Angel
Anderson, Christopher
Arensman, Phillip
Argenia, Nicholas
Armendariz, Alexis
Armitage, Bradley

Atwood, Brett
Augello, Alycia
Baker, Allora
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Benedetto, Carmann
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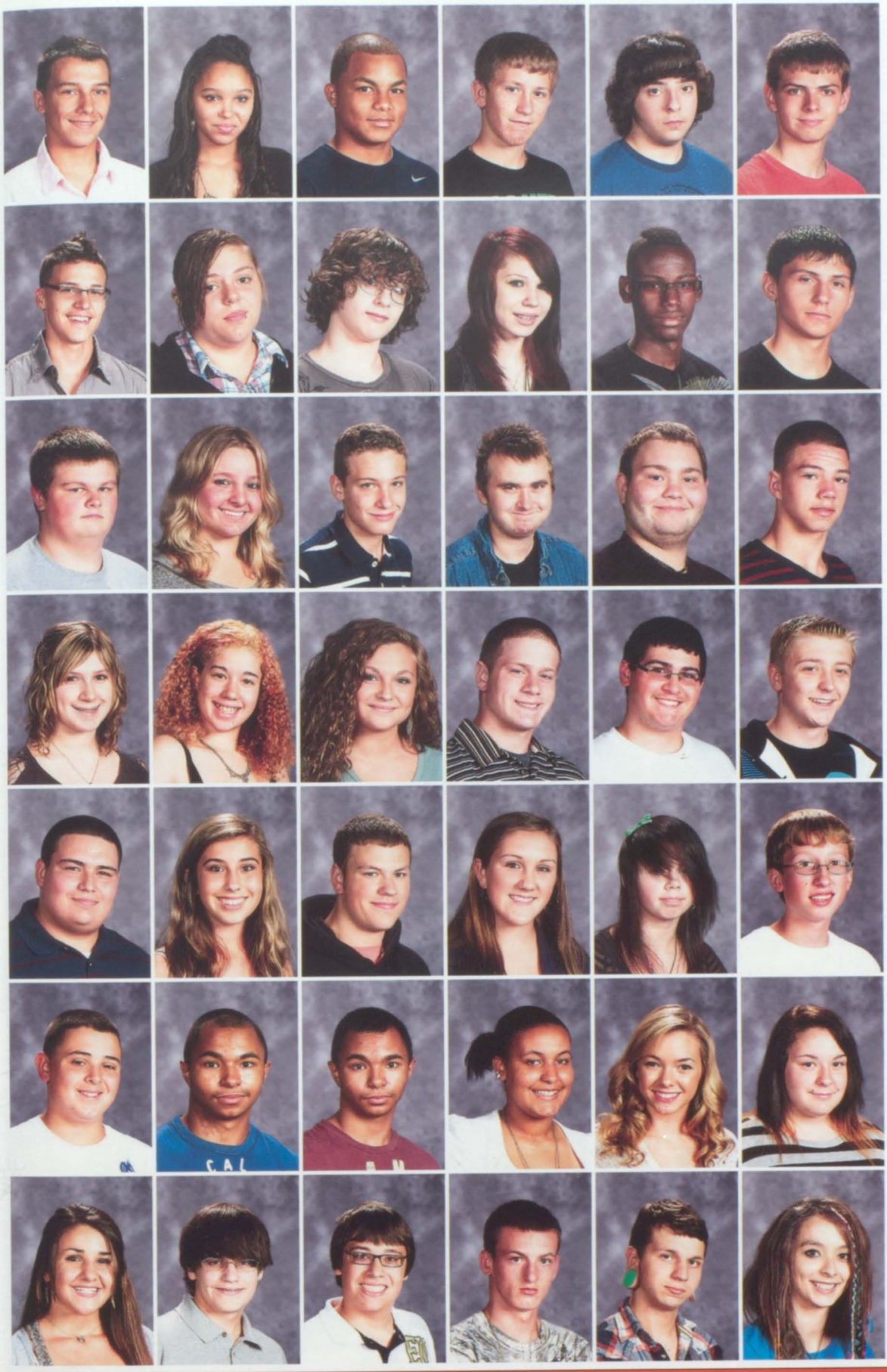

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Berry, Julius
Bivona, Tyler
Blanchard, Kyle
Boisen, Bradley

Bolivar, Matthew
Brewer, Tesla
Brockway, Kameron
Brooks, Elisabeth
Brown, Leroy
Brown, Mason

Buchanan, John
Bulawa, Mary - Ann
Bullock, Douglas
Bunnell, Zackary
Burch, Mark
Cadrette, Dylan

Cady, Erin
Cameron, Lindsey
Canarelli, Emily
Capron, Anthony
Cardello, Matthew
Carelli, Shane

Caruso, Giovanni
Castro, Marisa
Cataldo, Alexander
Cavalier, Haleigh
Chase, Angelica
Chitty, Jake

Chmielewski, Adam
Cuilla, Brian
Cuilla, Jonathan
Clark, Shelby
Coffmen, Rebecca
Colangelo, Amanda

Calangelo, Jaqlyn
Cole, Riley
Coon, Chase
Coonrod, Adrian
Cope, Jonathan
Corum, Camilla

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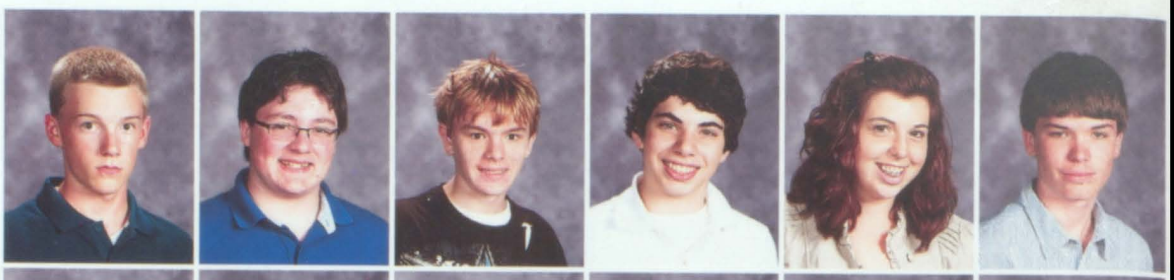
Costello, Patrick
Contronea, Carlos
Cummings, Adam
Daly, Alexander
Dartt, Samantha
Davies, Michael



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Davis, Deborah
Davis, Morgan
Davis, Rebecca
Deblasiis, Drew

Decker, Ariona
Deeley, Breanna
Deeley, David
Degraef, Payton
Desalvo, Richard
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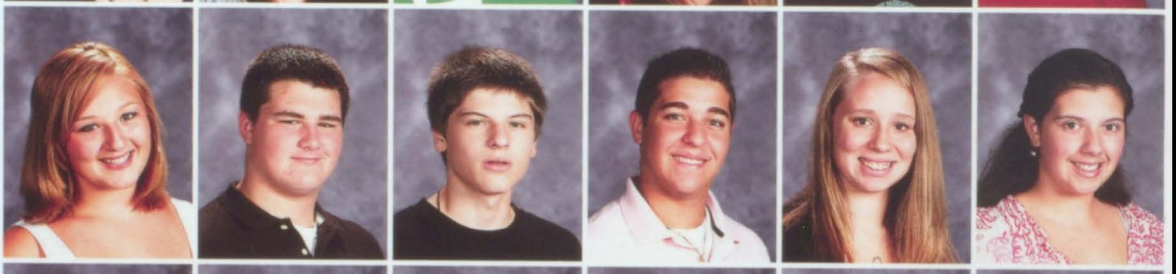
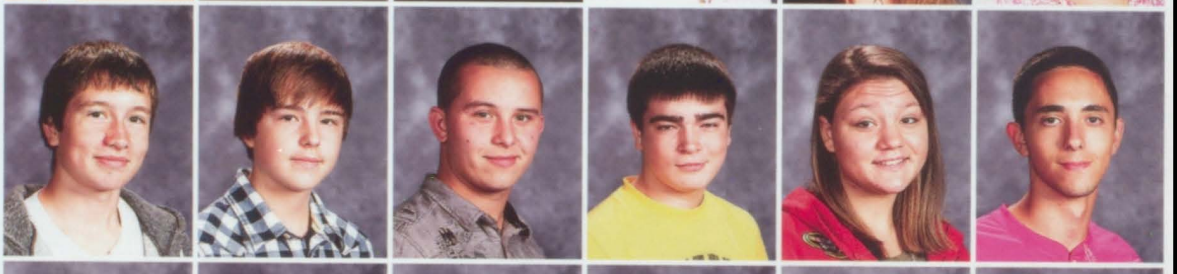
Di Paolo, Angelica
Di Paolo, William
Dibella, James
Dimezzo, Ryan
Dodge, Tiffani
Dombrowski, Megan



Domizio, Joseph
Dunham, Eric
Eccleston, Brandon
Edwards, Colin
Edwards, Kristen
Eichhorn, Chace

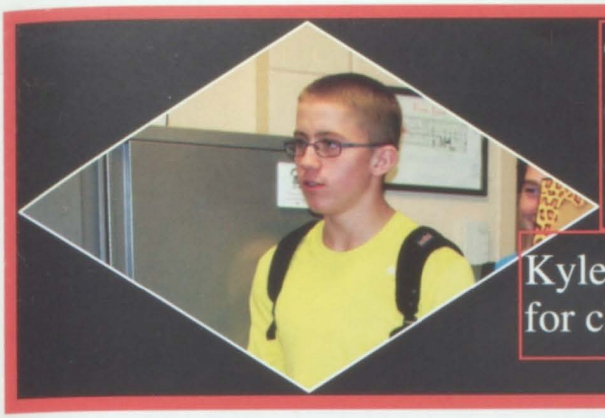


Eldred, Wyatt
Emmanuele, Josephine
Entelisano, Bruce
Ervin, Dakota
Espino, Justine
Evans, Angus

Evans, Lauren
Falzarano, Kimberly
Farber, Jessie
Fazio, Alyssa
Felker, Brittany
Fey, Brian

Caitlin Herber is smiling with joy to have her picture taken.

Joey Rutkowski focusing on his work.



Tyler Bivona puts on his thinking face as he concentrates in Multimedia.

Kyle Baker waiting for class to start.

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Fiorenza, Courteney
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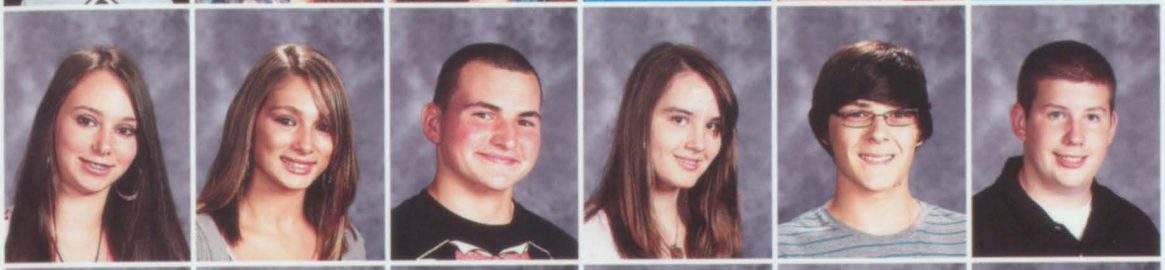
Forbes, Lea
Fournier, Dylan



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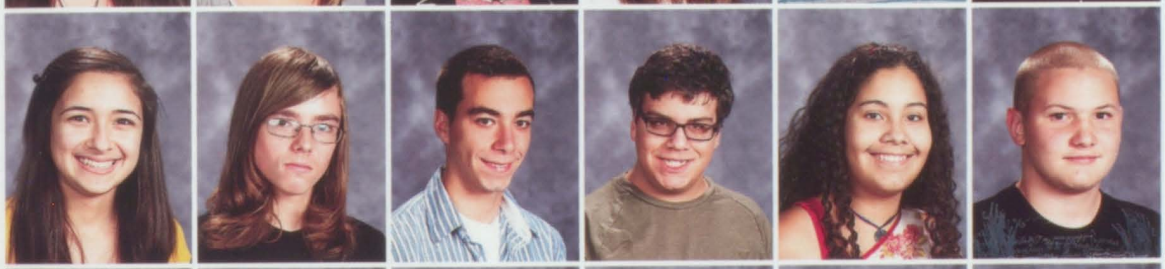
Gavin, Ryan
Gawarecki, Casey



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Gillete, Adam
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Goodwin, Joshua

Griffith, Evan
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Guglielmo, Annmarie
Gwin, Earl
Hamilton, Mirranda

Hardin, Kimberly
Harding, Thomas
Hargrove, Iman
Harp, Bobbie
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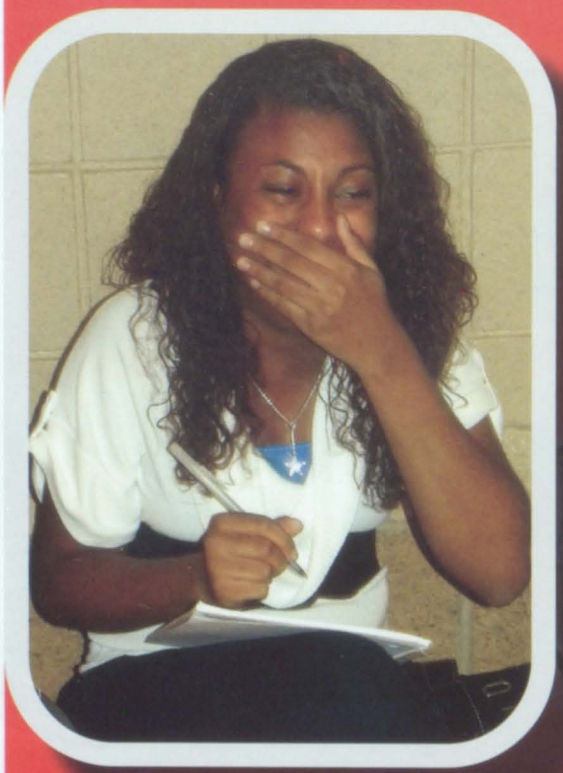
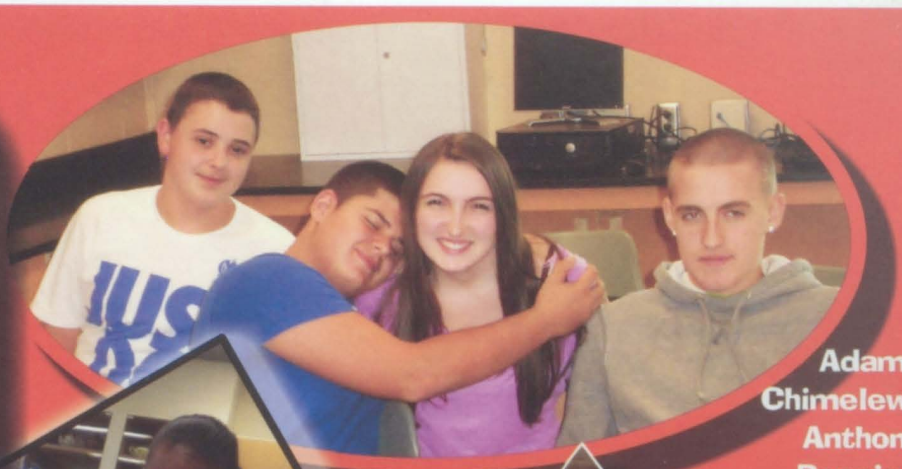


Kashyah Williams works hard but laughs even harder!



Adam Chimelewski, Anthony Paccica, Karlie Matt and Ross Lauber show some love during science.

Marian Johnson is hard at work on her art project.

Deric Tuthill, Haleigh Cavaleir and Marisa Castro get close for the camera.

Hetherington, Ian
Holzberger, Steven
Homan, Nicole
Houle, Abagail
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Hoy, Shaabria

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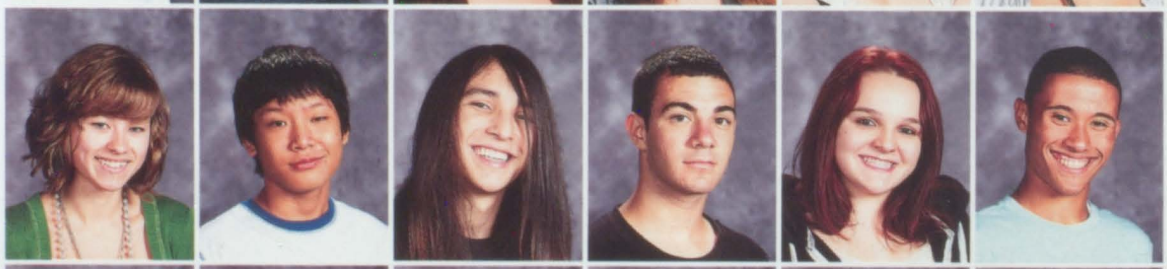

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Kimball, Daniel
Kondella, Faith

Labuz, Richard
Langley, Gabryel
Larkin, Kimberly
Lauber, Ross
Leefeaver, Matthew
Liddy, Brittney

Mason-Malone, Xavier
Matt, Karlie
Mazzaferro, Samuel
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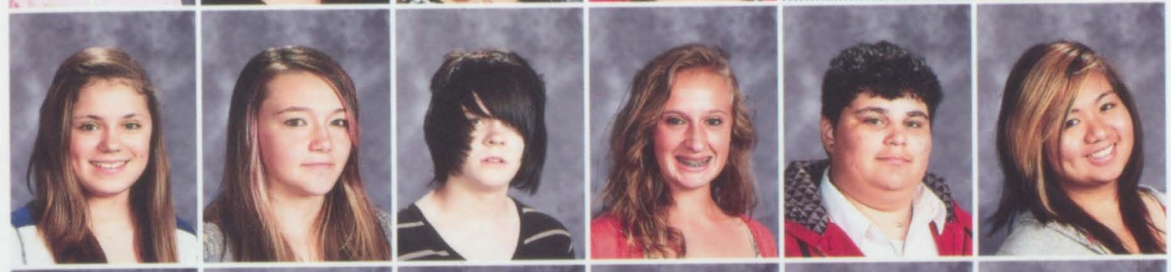

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Metzger, Erich
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Miller, Kelsey

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Manning, Melanie
Marchesane, John
Marcoccia, Amy

Mcliesh, Patrick
McReynolds, Nicole
Meadows, Kaitline
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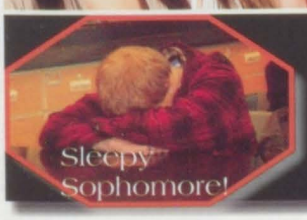


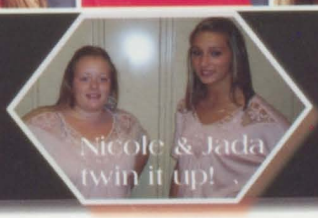


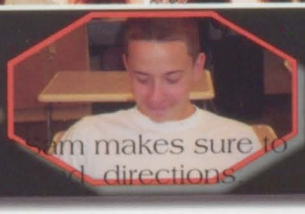

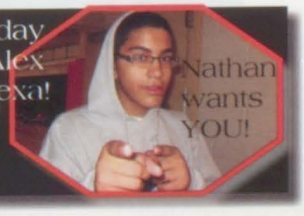

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Nardslico, Nicholas
Naylor, Jessica
Nestle, Sonya
Newman, Collin

Noboa, Jhanzel
O'Connor, Clancy
O'Dell, Justin
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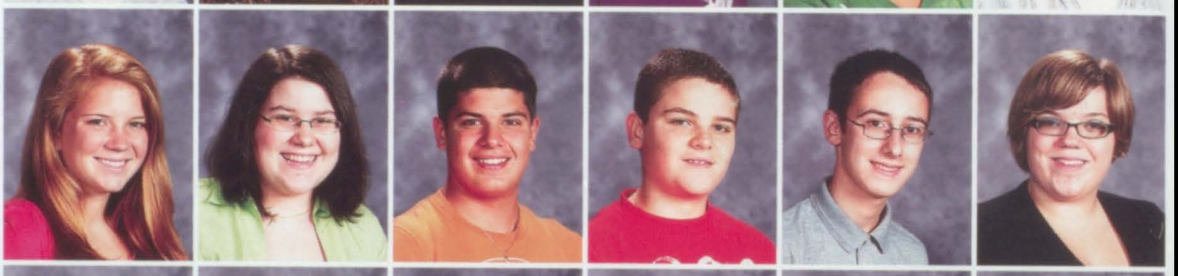

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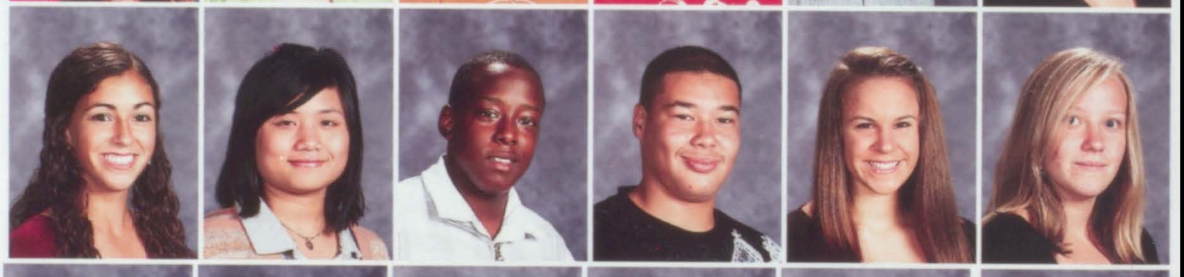

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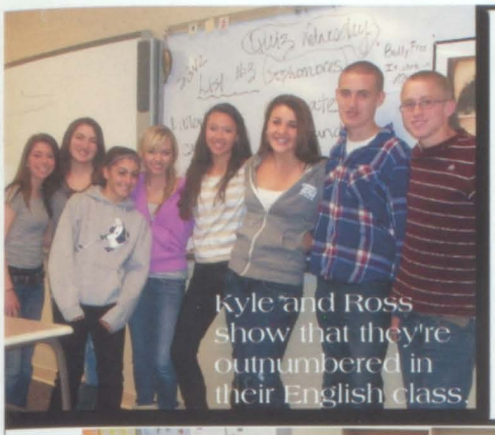
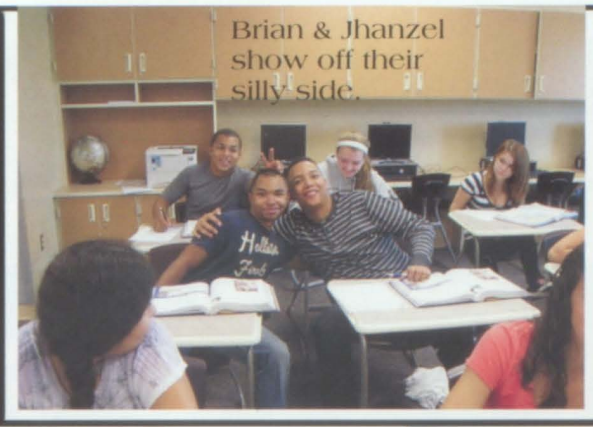
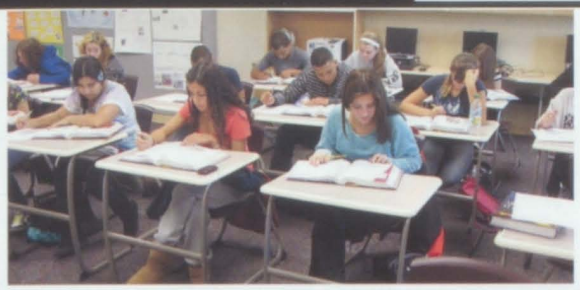
Sophomores escape Global History & enjoy some rays!

Dorene & Lindsay show their Halloween spirit.

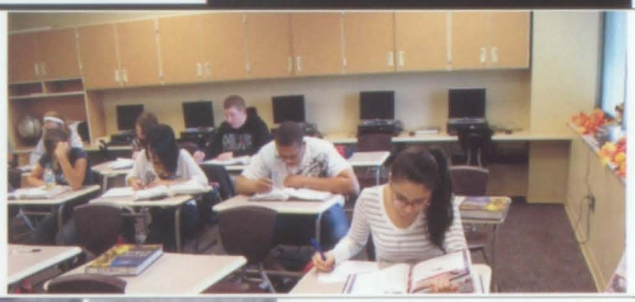

Kyle and Ross show that they're outnumbered in their English class.


Brian & Jhanzel show off their silly side.

Sophomores step up their A-game!



Working hard is always a must!



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Ramsdale, Ashley
Rathbun, Sierra
Rauscher, Andrew

Redmond, Mackenzie
Reed, Joshua
Reilley, Hannah
Richie, Keegan
Rienzo, Jacob
Rivera, Eric

Rivera, Michael
Robertson, Jena
Robinson, Tyler
Rogers, Zachary
Rood, Catherine
Rosa, Nathan

Roush, Samantha
Rudd, Cody
Russell, Samantha
Rutkowski, Joseph
Ryan, Kelly
Salloum, Alana

Samuels, Alexandra
Santiago, Fasinia
Santiago, Jade
Scales, Brianna
Schmidt, Benjamin
Seedat, Sarah

Selvetti, Seth
Serra, Joseph
Serrano, Elizabeth
Serrano, Karle
Sharp, Kaylee
Shephard, Eric

Sheridan, Susanne
Sisti, Alexander
Smith, James
Smith, McKenzie
Smith, Miranda
Smith, Robert Jr.

Snell, Lindsay
Squadrito, Amanda
Staring, Jaycie
Sutton, Maxwell
Szajer, Timothy
Tallarino, Zachary

Tardugno, Emily
Taylor, Everett
Taylor, Jennifer
Taylor, Monica
Tebo, Dustin
Thomas, Dominique

Thomason, Zachary
Thompson, Pamala
Thorpe, Megan
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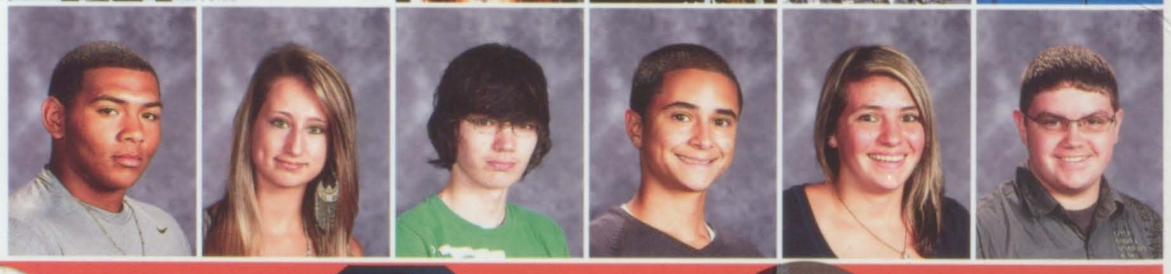

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Walker, Kiara
Watkins, Lance

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Wenndt, Derek
Westcott, Dorene
Western-Womack, Anias
White, Jordan
White, Tricia

Whitmoyer, Meghan
Wickham, Kayla
Wiggins, Justiss
Wilkes, Sharon
Williams, Caleb
Williams, Kashyah

Williams, Maggie
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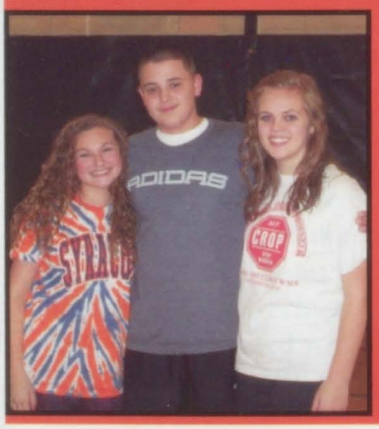
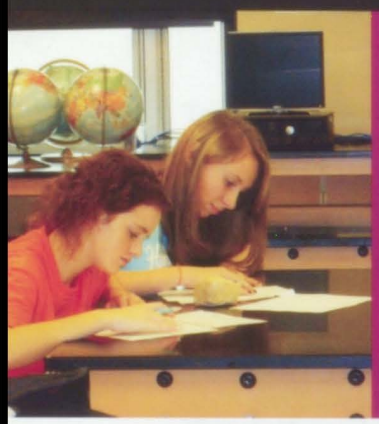


Brett Barnes, Alyna Thayer, Peter Mastracco, and sophomore friend Meghan Whitmoyer study together in study hall.

Tyler Nobis walks the halls during studyhall.

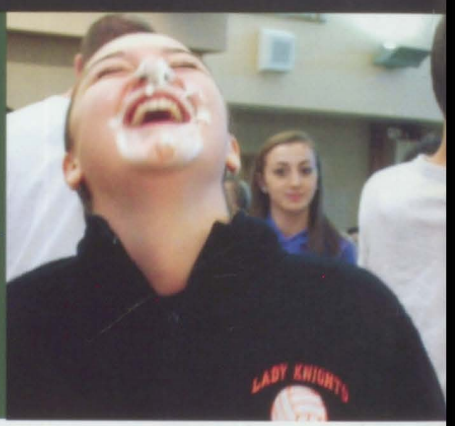
"A human being is not attaining his full heights until he is educated." -Horace Mann



Brianna Jaynes and Nicole Bergstrum work hard in Mr. Spado's Earth Science class.

## Ready, Set, GO!

Paula Amo gives off a big laugh after finishing the pie eating contest.

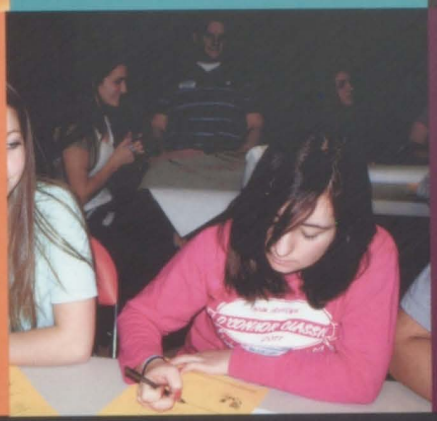



Gabrielle Carter, Chiara Domizio and Nicole O'Brien have what it takes when it comes to getting into the yearbook. I think it might have something to do with being in the right place at the right time?

Abigail Janes and Abigal Francescone work hard in their class hoping to do well their first year of highschool.

Freshman friends spend some quality time in the library media center.

Jackie Ackerman fills out a worksheet during Otis Jenning's visit.



# Freshmen

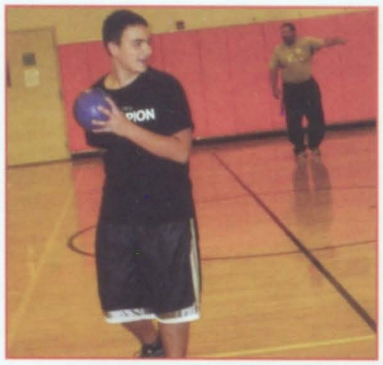
## Off to a great start!

### Class of 2015

As you step into your new school you feel alone & a bit intimidated. You probably feel like you don't fit in & it's scary to see sophomores, juniors, & maybe even seniors in a few of your classes. But as your time in highschool continues & your time in middleschool becomes a blur you've realized you've grown up since last year.

**Joey Campbell, Tim Strouse and Michael Brognano show team spirit at the football game.**

# Freshmen



Working hard in physical education with Mr. Mays.

Paula Amo happily smiles for the camera as she cleans up afer the pie eating contest.

President Morgan Murphy, Vice Presdent Peter Mastracco, Treasurer Jenna Deblasiis, Secretary Olivia Caro.

Sporting braids and shades during Spirit Week.

Acevedo, Kayla
Ackerman, Alexander
Ackerman, Jacqueline
Acosta, Jessica
Adair, Jayme
Aiello, Andrew

Aikens, Aliyah
Andersen, Dakota
Anderson, Emmanuel
Anken, Teresa
Antolin, Bryan
Arbes, Gavin

Arcuri, Ashley
Armstrong, Christy
Ayers, Nicholas
Babcock, Alyssa
Badolato, Nicole
Baker, Courtney

Bamford, Elizabeth
Banks, Raymond
Bardin, Jared
Barker, Adrieonna
Barone, Taylor
Bates, Joshua

Baumes, Jesse
Beach, Emily
Bergstrom, Nicole
Birnie, Mercedez
Bishop, Jason
Bledsoe, Desiree

Boardman, Michael
Bobee, Tiffany
Booth, Katelyn
Bovee, Jessica
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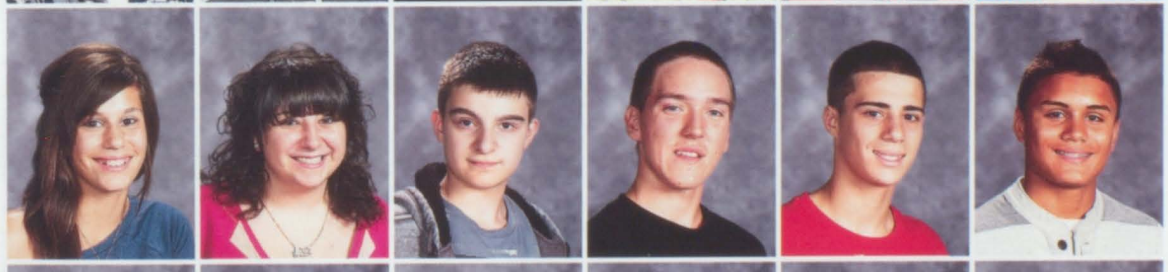

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Byrnes, Marie-Alayna
Calandra, Santino
Cameron, Aaron
Campbell, Joseph
Campos, Eddie

Caro, Olivia
Carollo, Amanda
Carr, Armani
Carson, Keira
Carter, Gabrielle
Casadei, Christopher

Castro-Santos, Tamara
Cauthen, Alaia
Cavaggioni, Gabriel
Chadwell, Nicholas
Choinski, Zachary
Cianfrano, Alexander

Ciulla, Danielle
Clark, Alex
Coia, Brianna
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Collard, Nicole

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Copeland, David
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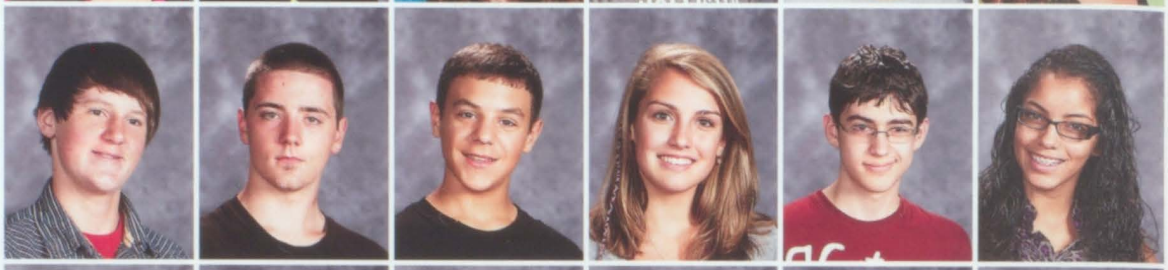

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Cyrus, KaShaun
Daignault, James

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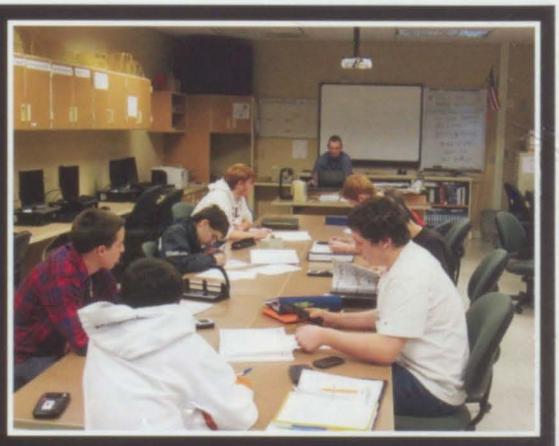
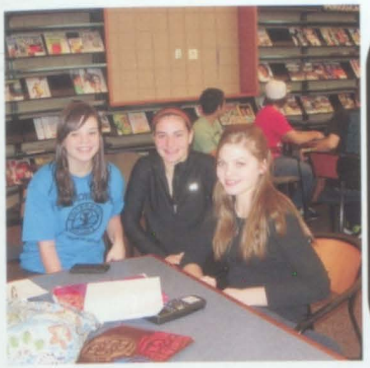
Dartt, Noah
Davis, Kevin
Davis, Llyssa
Davis, Trista
Dawidowicz, Dylan

Deblasiis, Jenna
Deeley, Joshua
Demarest, Aiden
Dematio, Jacob
Desai, Ankur
Diberardino, Connar

## Mr.Musch's class

**Students in Mr.Musch's class do work while he talks about what needs to be written.**





Emily Beach, Tricia Loso, and Megan Veschusio do homework while in the library during their study hall.

Joseph Stapleton warms up before an intense game of volley ball

Alexandra Kimmel focuses on homeowrk during her free period.

James Redpath and Sarah Smith doing homework in the library.

Peter Mastracco focuses on his homework.

Disalvo, Kim
Dombrowski, Kaitlyn
Domizio, Chiara
Drake, Andrew
Drake, Melissa
Draper, Robert

Driscoll, Dakota
Drozd, Evan
Dupont, Emily
Durgan, Brittany
Durgan, Megan
Dutt, Audrey

Edick, Gabrielle
Edwards, Elijah
Edwards, Pamela
Eldred, Alexandra
Ellinger, Kaitlyn
Escobar, Aliza

Evans, Logan
Falcone, Lucas
Fallon, Rachel
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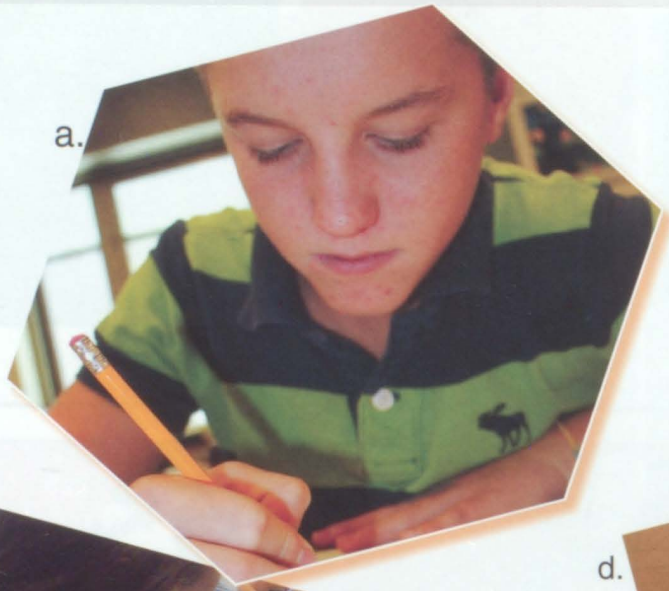

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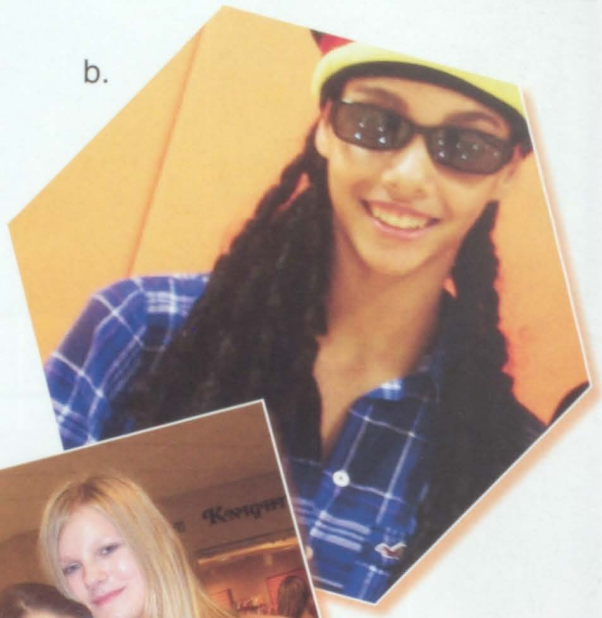

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a. Daniel McCarthy b. Teresa Anken c. Amanda Kekic d. Marissa Holmes & Katlin Whitmoyer

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Flanigan, Malcolm
Flores, Jose

Foley, Tyler
Fonseca, Keylee
Fountain,Kasandra
Fragapane, Jennifer
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Frey,Tristin
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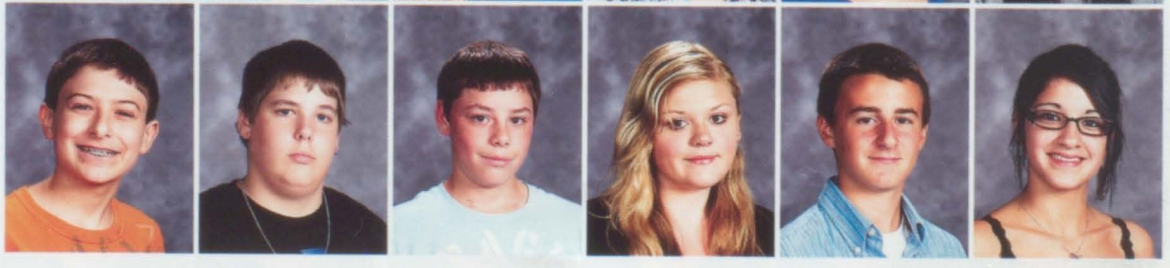

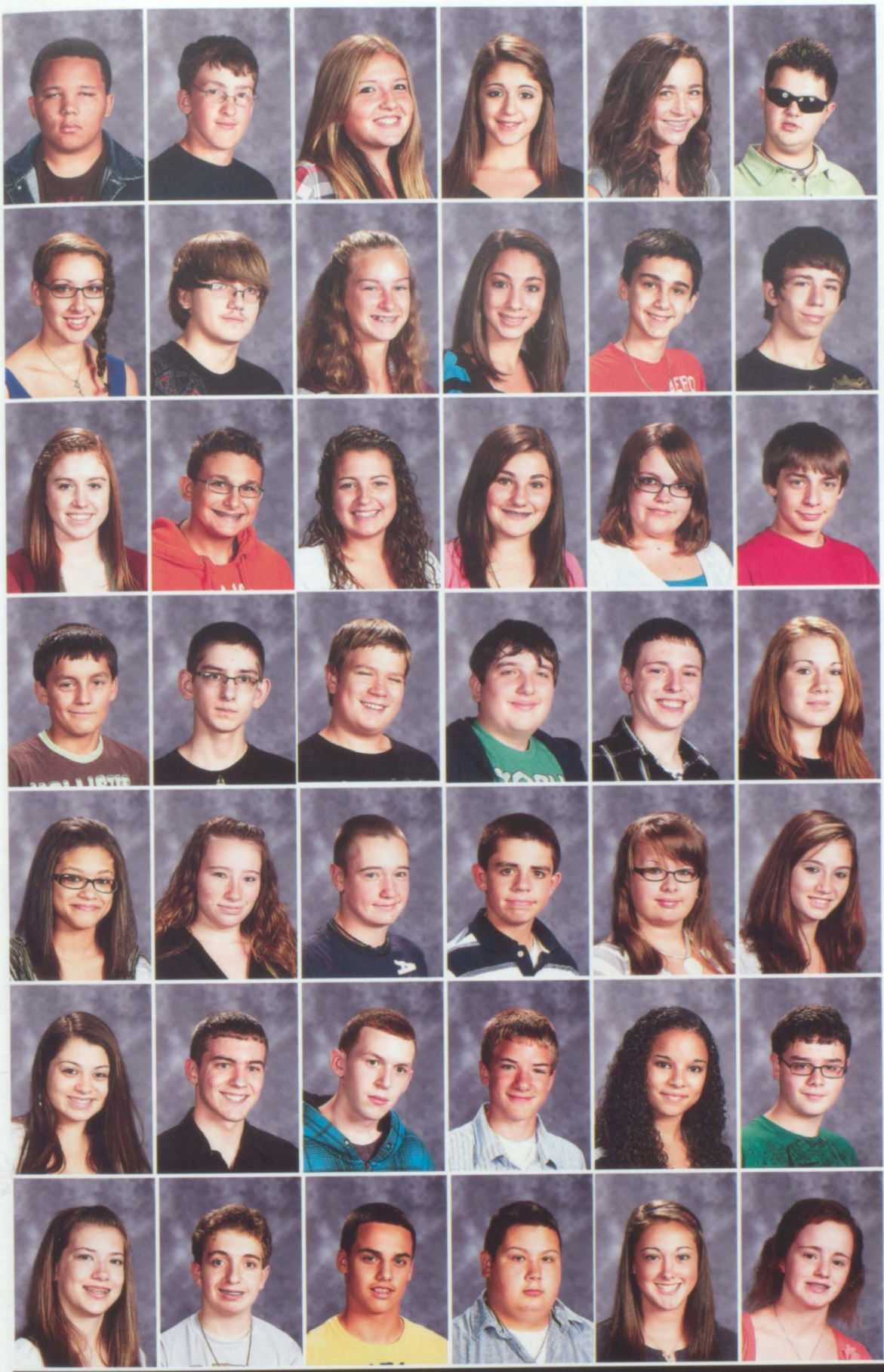

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Grago, Daulton
Greene, Austin

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Higgins, Rachel
Hluska, Miranda

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Howard, Zachary
Hughes, Daygan
Hutchinson, Yakira
Hyde, Mackenzie

Impicciatore, Lauren
Incorvaia, Joseph
Izzo, Joseph III
Jalynski, Max
Janes, Abigail
Jaynes, Brianna

Ricky Constabile and William Di Paolo cheer for the RFA football team.

Veronica Kessler and Avery Jones show off their shades during Braids and Shades day.

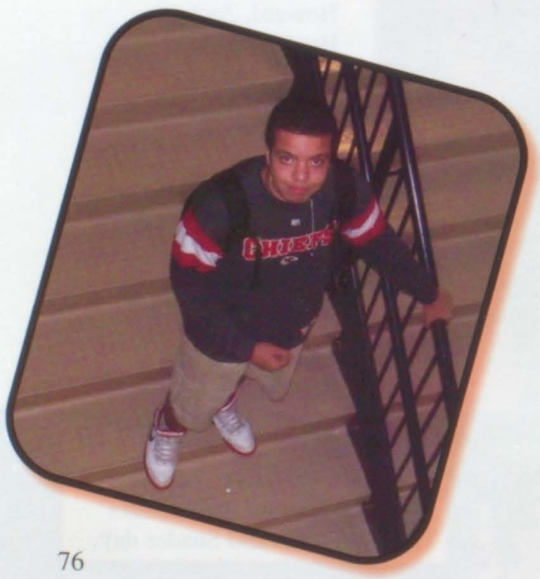
Jessop, Joshua
Johnson, Taylor
Jones, Avery
Jones, Dustin
Joyce, Kevin
Kangas, Jacob

Keaney, Jacquelyn
Kekic, Amanda
Kelsey, Adriana
Kerber, Tiffany
Kessler, Veronica
Kilpatrick, Devin

Kimball, Kirsten
Kimmel, Alexandra
King, Zachary
Kinna, Nicholas
Kinney, Korena
Kiskiel, Jenna

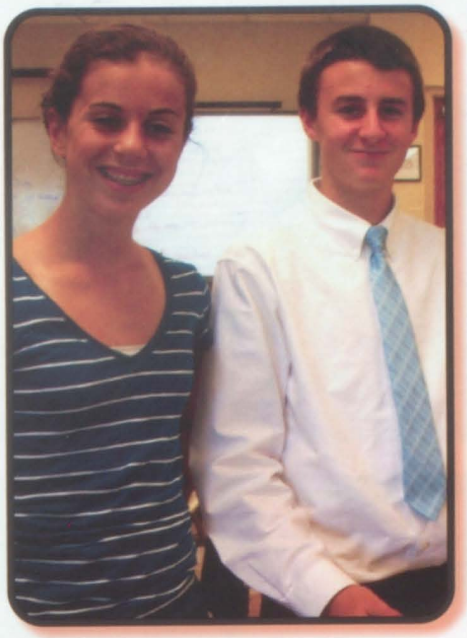
Knight, Amber
Kondella, Claire
Labuz, Brittany
Labuz, Zachary
Lagasse, Samantha
Larsen, Tesa

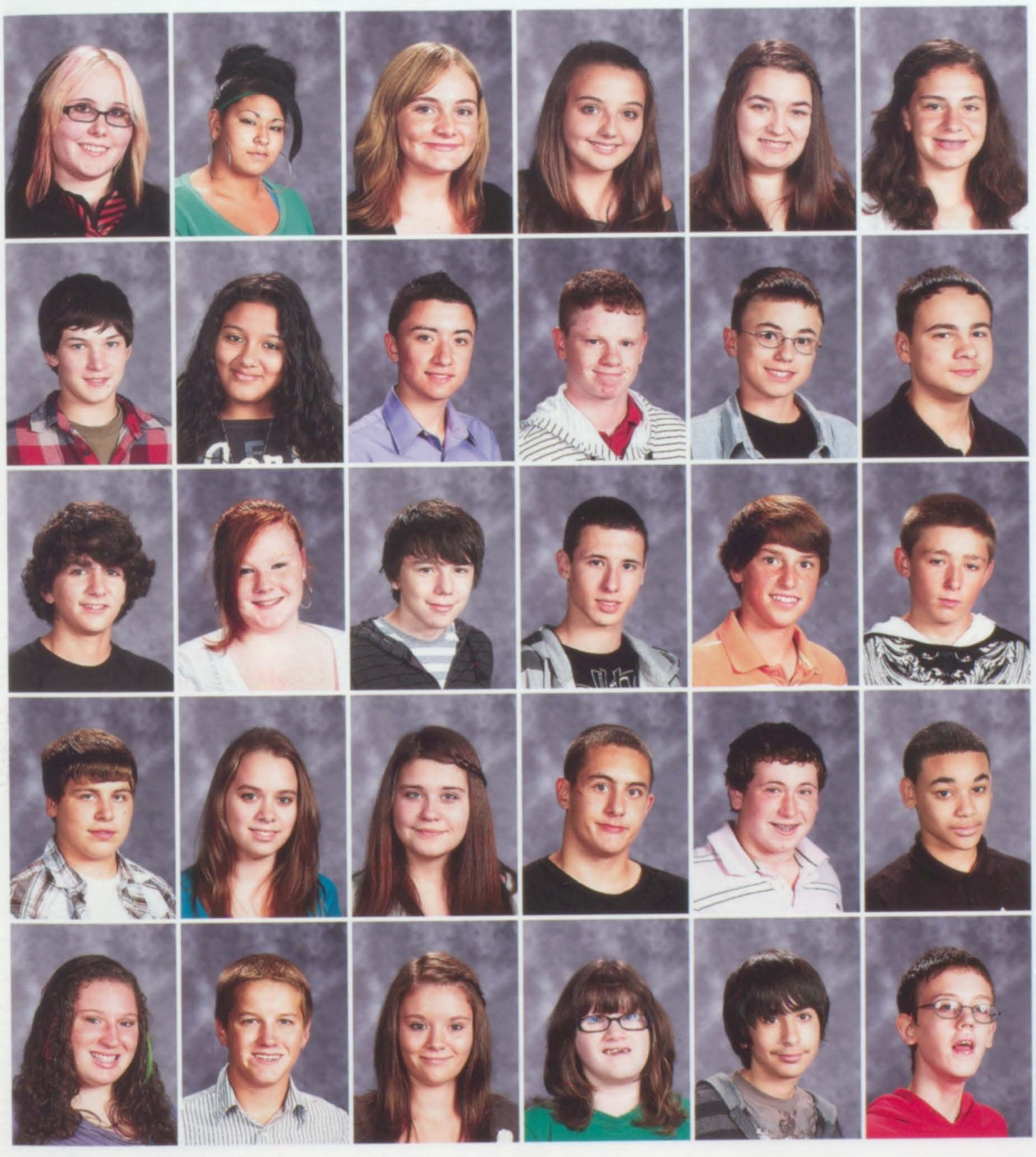
Laughinghouse, Taylor
Lawton, Reagan
Lemieux, Tyler
Lenaghan, Allison
Leonard, John
Lewis, Saleema



KaShaun Cyrus, Jeremiah Briggs and LJ Redpath give the thumbs up for freshman year.

Hannah Uvanni and Dylan Furney are dressed for success in their Living Enviroment class.





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Linder, Diamond
Lohr, Hannah
Lomery, Elaina
Lorusso, Katherine
Loso, Tricia

Lovaglio, Garrett
Luberto, Anabella
Macri, Nicholas
Mahoney, Jacob
Makley, Alexander
Malinowski, Michael

Manna, Vincenzo
Manning, Samantha
Manuele, Marco
Marasco, Steven
Marschall, Tyler
Marshall, Dylan

Martin, Austin
Martin, Miranda
Martin, Taylor
Massa, Tyler
Mastracco, Peter
Maxfield, Davon

Mays, Mariah
McCarthy, Daniel
McCloskey, Emily
McDaniel, Mackenzie
McGovern, Ryan
McQuinn, Steven

## Dustin Squadrito

Q: How are you enjoying high school so far?
A: Good. I like swim the best.
Q: What do you like to do on your free time?
A: Hang out with my girlfriend and play on the computer.
Q: What do you plan on doing when you're older?
A: Become a teacher or a lifeguard.

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Mcrae, Allen
Mcrae, Shane
Medina, Cynthia
Merchant, Shannon
Merchant, Tyler
Metott, Cassidy

Miller, Deon
Miller, Jerritt
Miller, Matthew
Miranda, Jared
Moore, James
Morris, Haley

Morrison, Isaak
Moselle, Brianna
Muldoon, Quintan
Mumpton, Cameron
Murphy, Morgan
Nash, Kelsie-Marie

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Nobis, Tyler
Norman, D'Andre'
Nunez, Giana
O'Brien, Nicole
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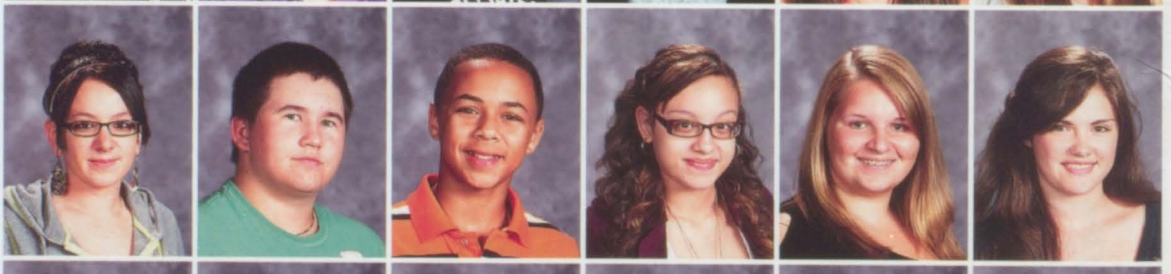

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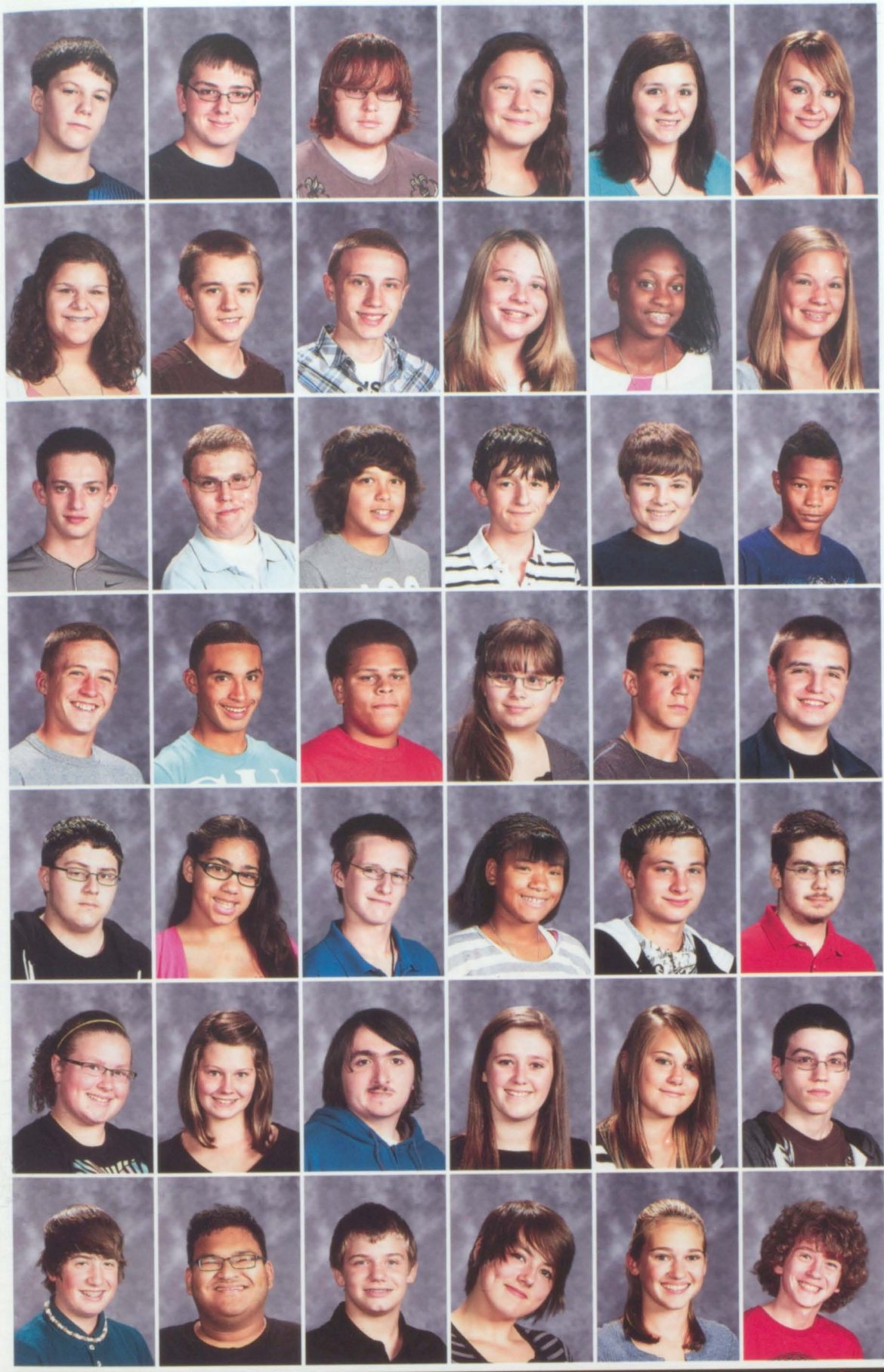
Pape, Alexis
Pardee, Alan
Parks, Brianna



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Pease, Andrew
Petrie, Marilyn
Pfeiffer, Erin
Phillips, Mikayla

Piemonte, Juliana
Pink, Collin
Pitcher, Cody
Plumley, Paige
Poole, Shanyra
Powonsky, Leighann

Presky, Richard
Pristera, Collin
Proper, Nicholas
Pruitt, Samuel
Raffai, Alex
Rayton, Neko

Redpath, James III
Redus, Christian
Reed, Mishaun
Riegler, Julia
Rienzo, Anthony
Riggleman, Devin

Riolo, Nicholas
Rivera, Dayanlee
Robinson, Tristian
Rodriguez, Tanyeajua
Rogers, Joshua
Rothrock, Michael

Rouillier, Rebecca
Rowland, Kaylee
Russell, Corey
Russitano, Kitana
Ryan, Akura
Sabatino, John

Salas, Kennith
Samad, Tameez
Sanders, Andrew
Santee, Janelle
Scaccia, Megan
Scerra, Richard

Schlieder, Kyle
Schneider, Teri
Schrader, Mark
Sciorilli, Anthony
Sciorilli, Sarah
Scott,Kelsey

Secor, Dakota
Selvetti, Tyler
Sepulveda, Stephon
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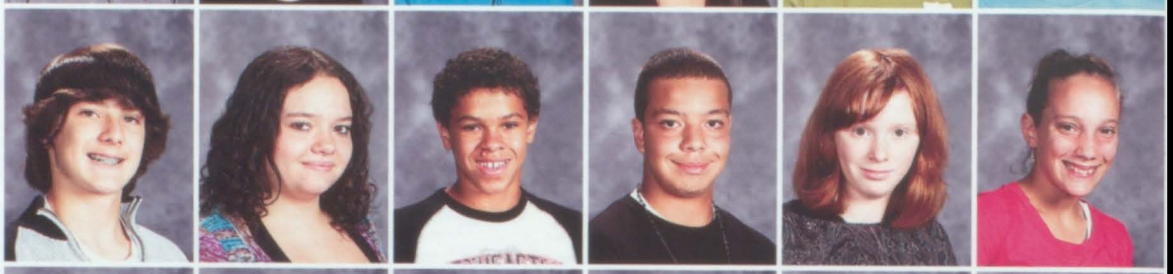
Slaughter, Brian
Smalls, Elijah
Smith, Angel
Smith, Cheyenne



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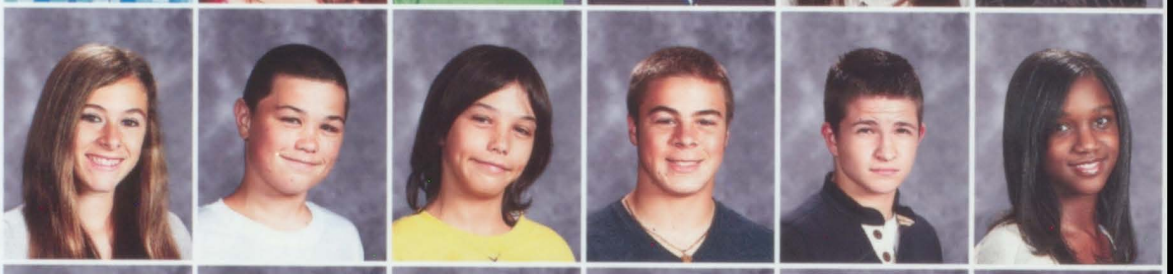

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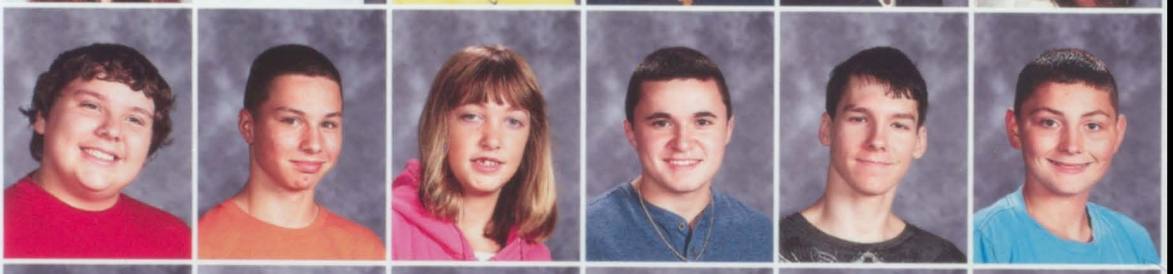

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Taylor, Jeromy
Thayer, Alyna
Thayer, Christian
Theriault, Ruby

Brianna Parks experiences her first RFA slip and slide.

Tyler Nobis wonders the halls getting familiar with his new school.

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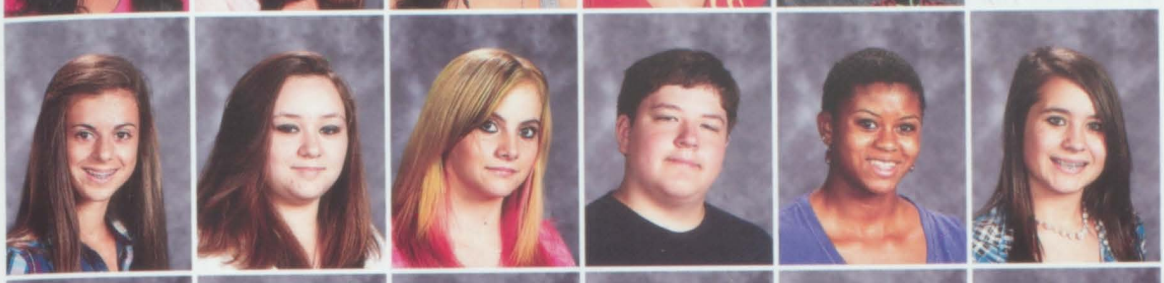
Todd, Cynthia
Turner,Tatiyana
Underwood,Kayla
Underwood,Nakeisha



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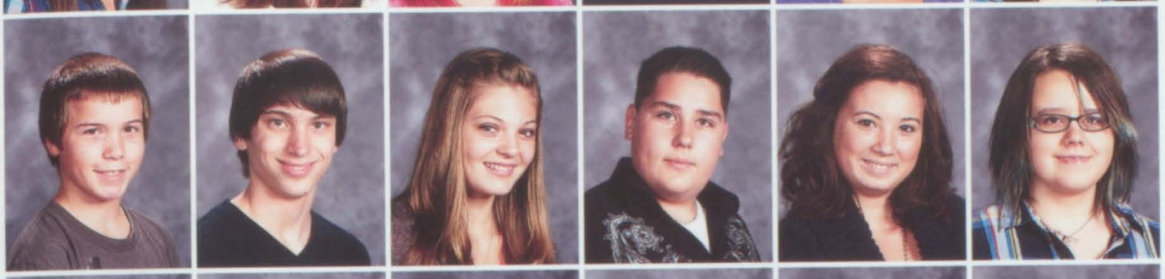

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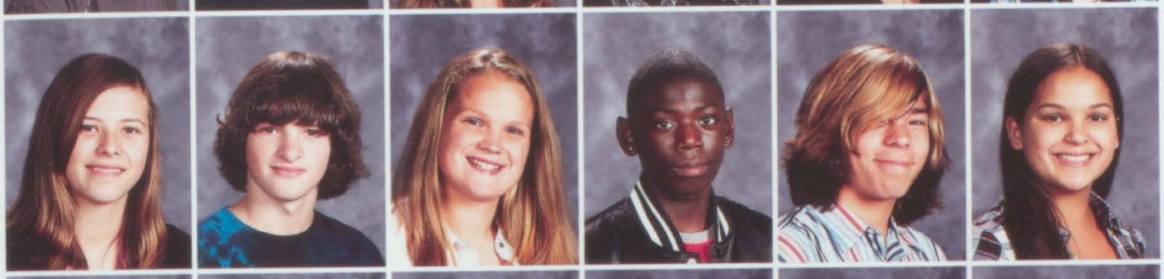

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White,Timothy
Whitmoyer,Katlin
Williams,Abigail
Willis,Brianna

Willis,Devon
Wilson,Tyler
Winters,Desiree
Wood,Garrett
Yaddow,Catherine
Yeung,Yip Ho

Zakala,Matthew

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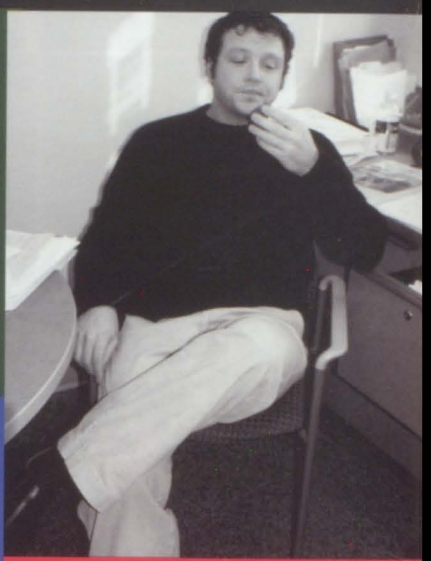
Mrs.Hoskins, the former Ms.Burns, takes her students on a mystical journey without even leaving the classroom.

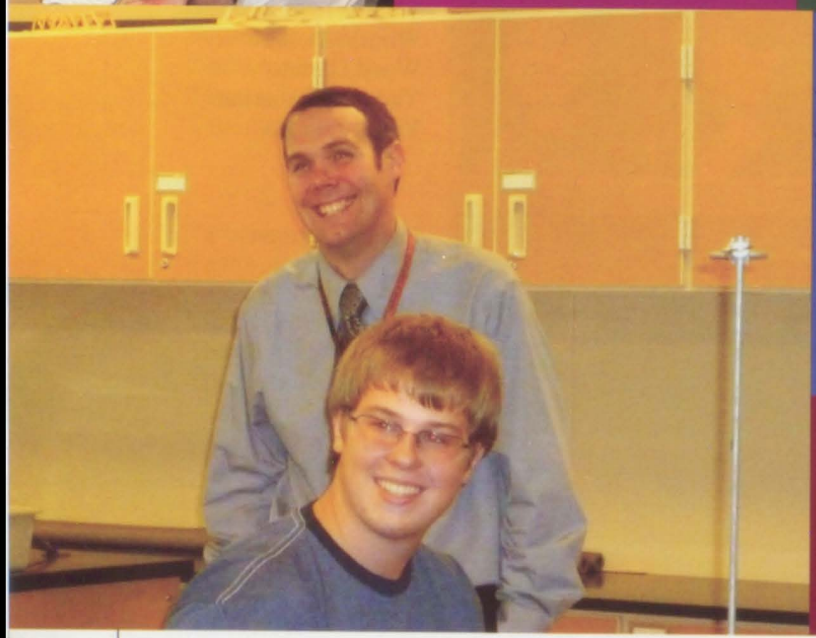
Mrs.Wadsworth's classroom is a comfortable, inviting place. Winter came late this year, but Mrs.Wadsworth had snowflakes hanging from her ceiling.

"By learning you will teach; by teaching you will understand"
– Latin Proverb

Mrs. Anderegg helps her student Holly on her multi media project.

Mr. Gzik, snacking on a healthy apple, is always available to help his students past and present.



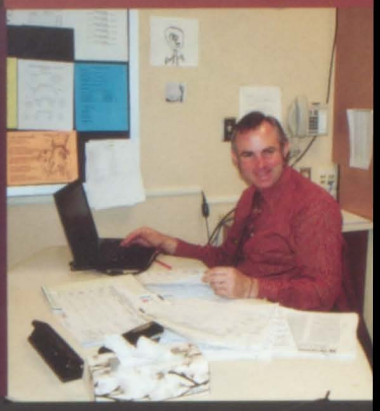


When Mr.Connery is teaching physics, it is always PHUN!

Mr.Slater and Evan Kiskiel work on an original tractor from 1952.

Mrs.Zeller discusses the importance of union protection in the work place with her business law students.

Students from Mrs. Colangelo's sophomore English class present Mr. Heller with a portrait of himself to show their love and adoration. Mr. Heller beams with delight at the gesture.



# Faculty

## Bow Tie Brosome:

Junior U.S. History teachers, Mr. Dursi and Mr.Kirby, change up the notion of traditional teacher garb by bringing the bow tie back into the classroom.

Mr . Kirby says:

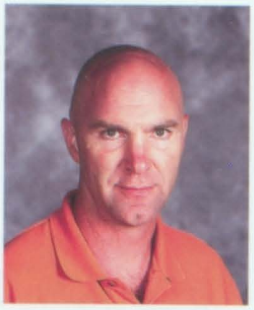
"Bow ties are cool...

bunk beds are too.

All of the kids love bow ties, faculty too."

# FACULTY

L. Abouharia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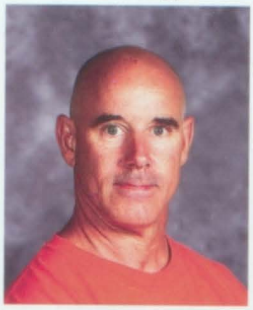
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K. Bauer

J. Beaupre

D. Beddia

M. Benson

S. Bentley

K. Boyce-Anderson

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S. Butcher

C. Calogero

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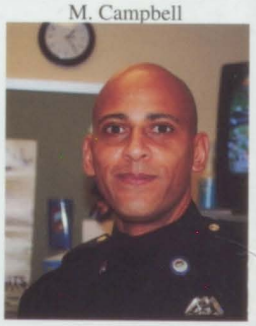
N. Carrick

S. Carollo

R. Ciotti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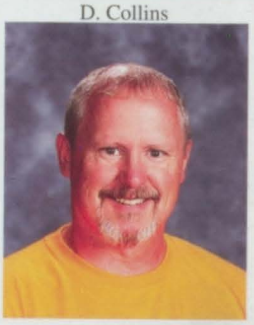
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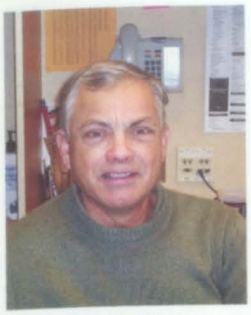
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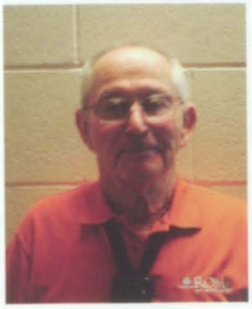
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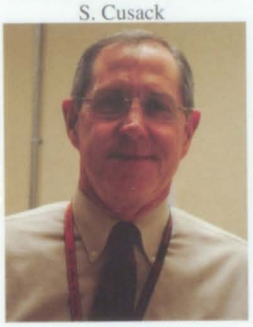
J. Davis

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M. DeTore

L. DeMarco

M. DeMatteo

S. Diberardino

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M. Downs

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A. Duran

R. Dursi

G. Early

T. Edwards

A. Fanelli

P. Felker

C. Fiorini

J. Fister

T. Fort

K. Foster

K. Fox

D. Fronczek

L. Frykholm

M. Fulgieri

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K. Gaesser

K. Gates

M. Glasso

E. Gleason

N. Gonzales

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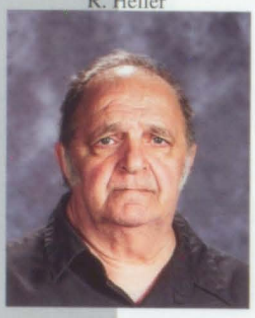
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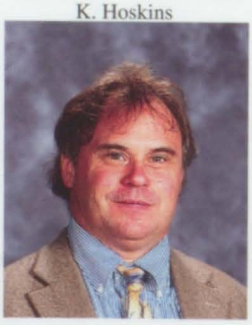
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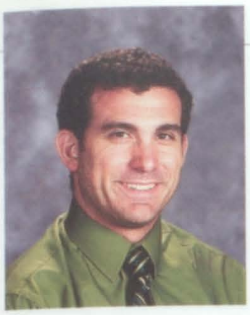
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L. Mumpton

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N. Natishak

N. Neiley

J. Nelson

P. Nisiewicz

L. O'Neill

M. O'Rourke

K. Olney

K. Palkovic

A. Pasqualetti

J. Polivka

D. Pray

S. Preski

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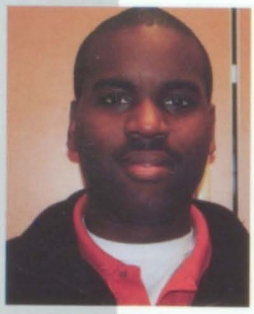
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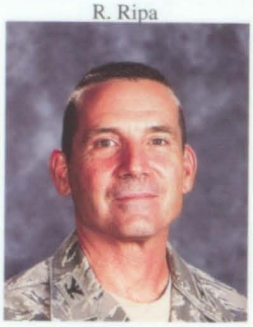
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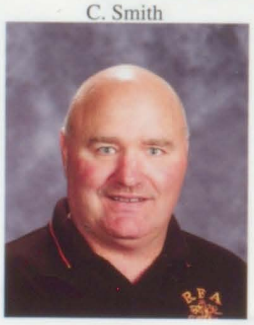
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R. Wadsworth

L. Walker

B. Waller

J. Warner

W. Waters

D. Weatherly

D. Westcott

K. Winicki

K. Winkler

R. Wood

L. Woodland

J. Yanik

G. Zacaroli

N. Zeller

C. Zmudosky

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M. Alexandra
M. Arena
E. Armstrong
C. Bareiss
M. Bates
S. Boiko
M. Boyd
J. Brawdy
F. Brodock
C. Campanaro
C. Checchia
M. Conover
K. Davies
L. Dishman
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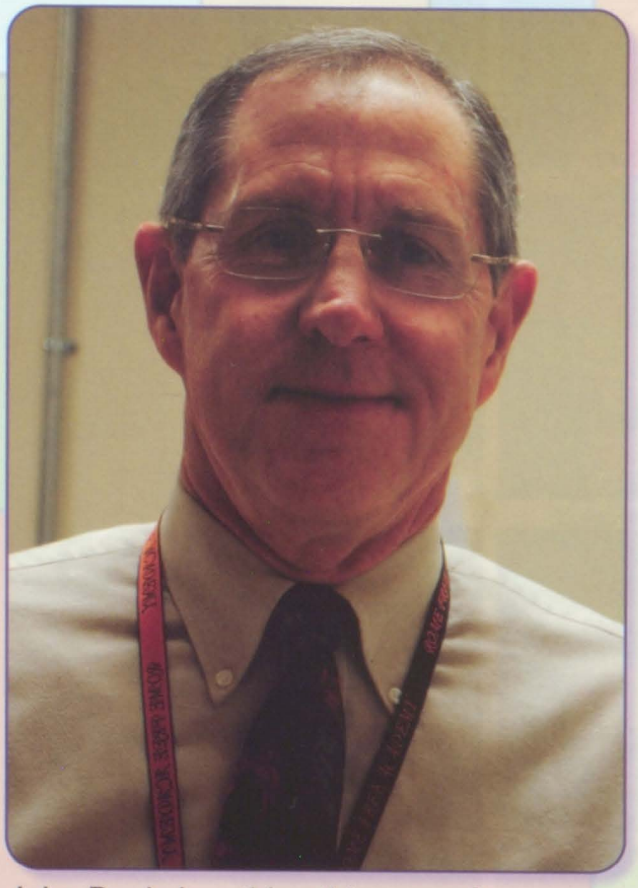
# Spotlight on: Mr. Davis



John Davis is retiring this year after working as a guidance counselor for RFA since January of 1993. "The best part of my job is seeing a student realize they can be successful, and then do it." Mr. Davis said. "The best part is seeing their eyes open up".

"He gets what you need done without asking and he's always there. He always leads you in the right direction."- Alex Brement '12

"Mr. Davis has always shown full interest in my academic success throughout high school. He has guided me and has helped me greatly with all the stressful college planning."- Ali Duran '12

"Mr. Davis is always there for his students. I like how he was always available to ask questions and he has always cared about my success. He will be missed!" - Jessie Flaim '12

"He's helpful and kind, and good at keeping up with his students. Mr. Davis knows all of our names and our goals. He loves when we visit and he is always there." - Allison Cosimeno '12

"Mr. Davis listens even if you just need to talk. He doesn't mind if you just go in to have something to do during a study hall. The sophomores are going to miss out on a great guy." - Ashley Armstrong '12

## RFA Self Survey

1) My favorite teacher this year was _____

2) The class I learned the most in was _____

3) My best memory from this year is _____

4) What do I want to do by the time I graduate?

5) What I'm most looking forward to next year is _____

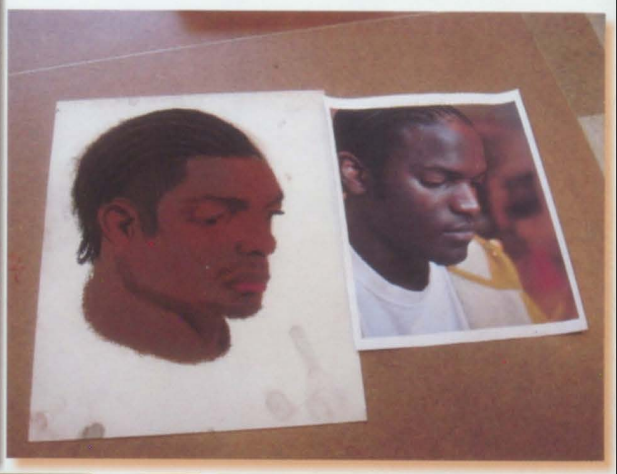
# ART Department

## Budding Artists

1. Brooke Miller
2. Erin Cady and Josh Hepworth
3. Brett Atwood
4. Marissa Holmes

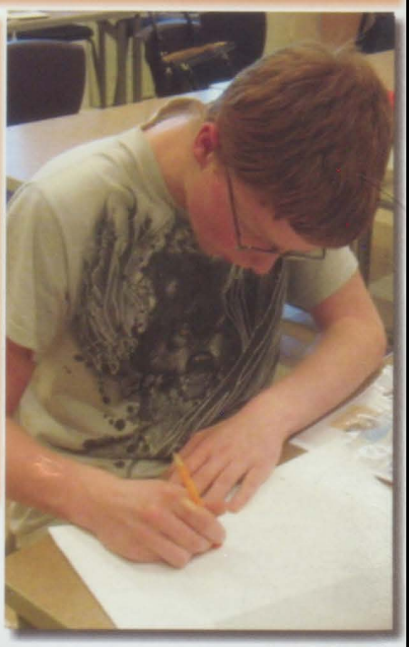
Left: Emily Pooley is putting the finishing details on her self-portrait.

Right: Tre Taylor's drawing mirrored to himself.



Left: Future Picasso, Katlin Whitmoyer .

Middle: Abigal Francescone focuses on her work.



Right: Michael Boardman is working toward perfection.

# BUSINESS Dept.

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What does Business class teach you about real life?

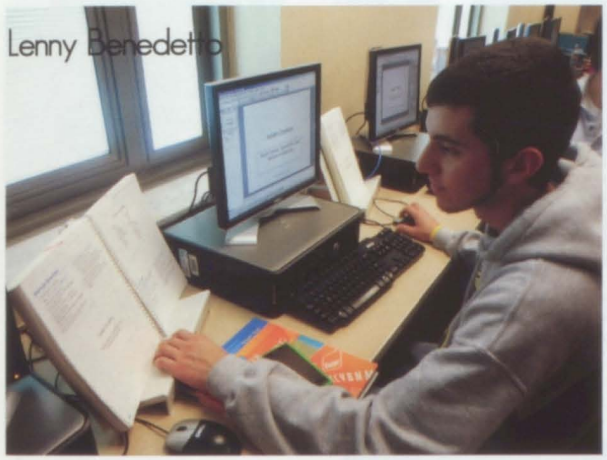
1 how to handle money-Chloe Cardwell

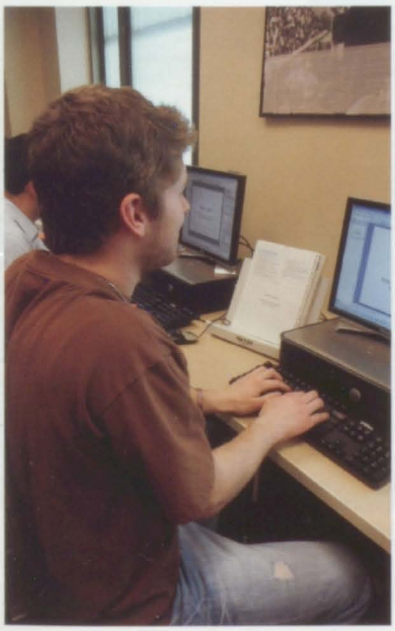
2. the small stuff that most people don't see-Michael Mellace

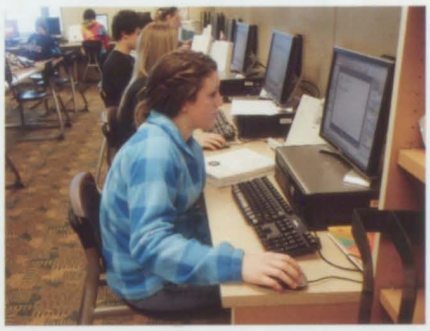
3. "I don't know yet we just started." -Christina Hernandez

4. You learn the in and outs and what businesses really do with their money-Devin Trifeletti

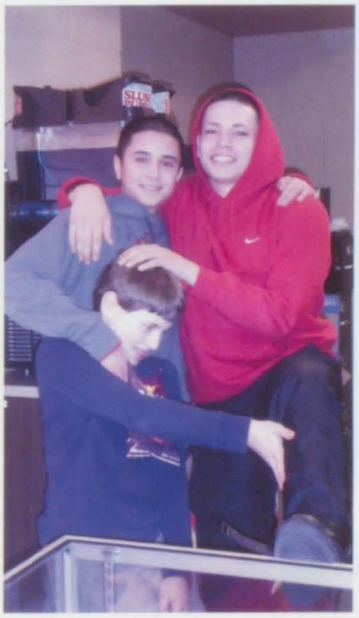
The 7th period Knight Spot Crew


Lenny Benedetto





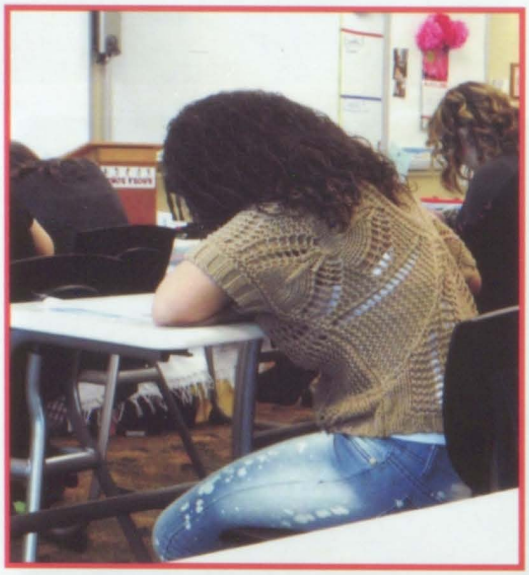
Eric Joyce works hard on the computer during business class



Preston Travis, John Griggs and Alex Raffai goof off by the slushi machine in the Knight Spot

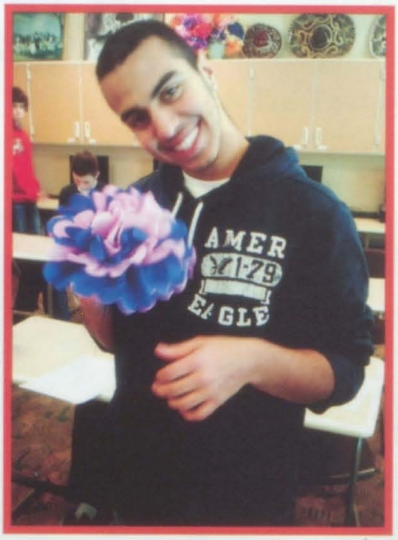
# Foreign Language

Spanish club makes funny faces.



Pristasia Norman works hard on her spanish test.

Curtis Wilhelmson, Sebastion Domenico and Dylan Redmond show some French pride!



Ben Salloum builds a paper flower in spanish class.

Erik Winberg, John Gannon, Tyler Nicolaus, Jon Bendall and Jake Pohl have a super spanish class!

Amber Johnson and Matt Brown take a stroll through the streets of Italy!

# Q & A Math Department

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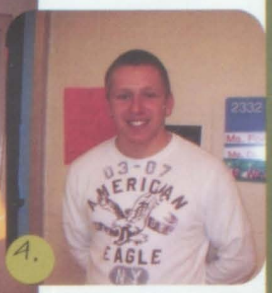
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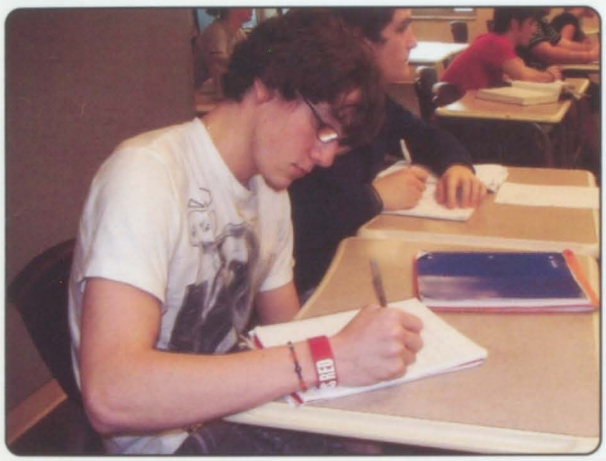
What is your favorite thing about Math?

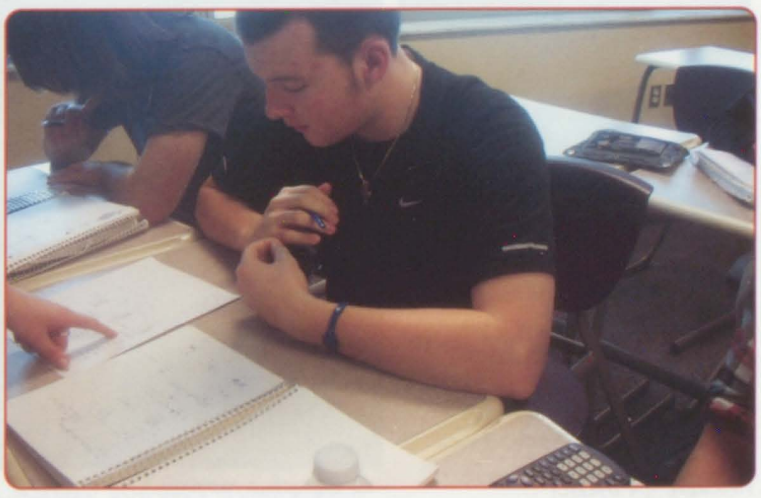
1. It is easy, useful, and you need it in life- Cynthia Todd
2. Thomas Harding is in my class- Ankur Desai
3. Equations- Bubba Coleman
4. Mrs. Damsky- Josh Mazzaferro

Kim Hardin holds a sign saying, "we need this class to graduate"

Kyle Snell is in Mrs. Nardslico's class doing a little math work



Sonny Caruso gives a peace sign while Kaysie Gregory laughs and Abby Gray focuses.



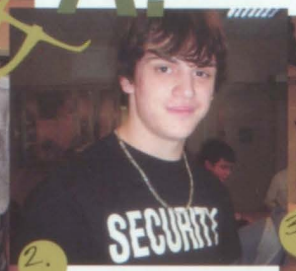
Jeff Cook is concentrating really hard on his math work.

# Q & A: TECHNOLOGY Dept.

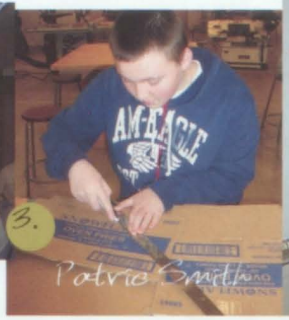
How has technology improved society?

1. Increased communication
2. Hasn't improved society: its made people lazy.
3. People are able to have cell phones
4. Supplies safety & security

1. Peter Mastracco



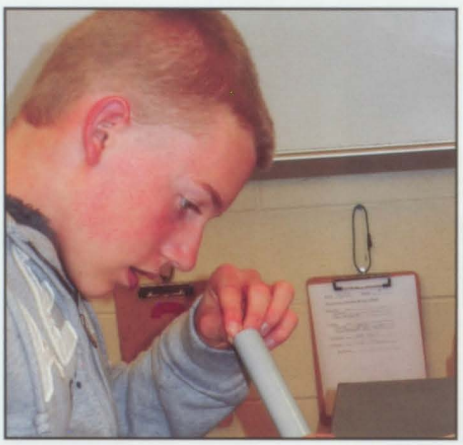

2. Ryan Metott




3. Patrick Smith

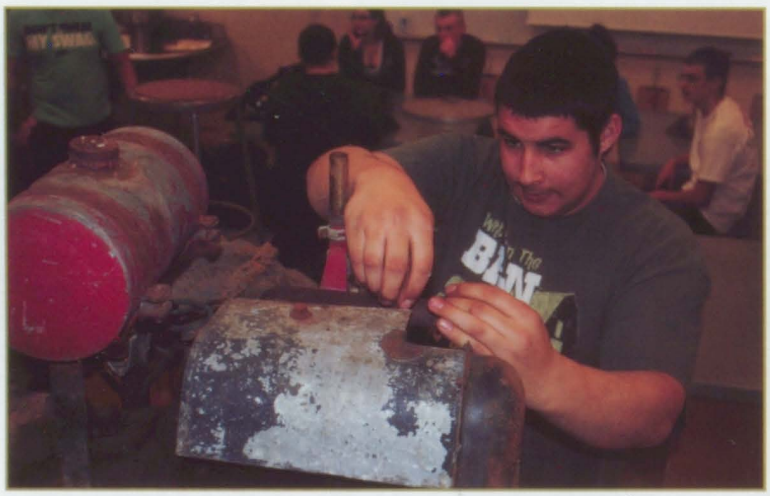
4. Mary Ann Bulawa

Ryan Vandresear helps Shane morae with taking his tire off the rim.

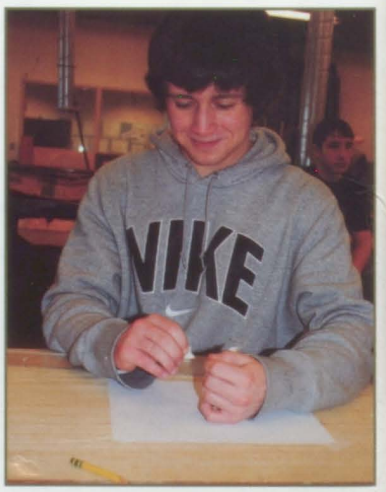


Patrick Costello measures a pipe for his project

Mr Slator shows Evan Kiseke! car parts on the computer for the newest project!



Corey Carinci works on a tractor in Mr. Slator's class




Dylan Dawidowicz starts sketching his newest project

# English Dept. Q & A:

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What is your favorite thing about English?

1. Connor Richie: Learning about cool quotes like "An eye for an eye makes the world go blind."- Ghandi
2. Kelsey Beach: how I can use English in all aspects of my life.
3. Meghan Whitmoyer: reading interesting books
4. Katelyn Cook: reading literature

*Randy Linderman & Sawyer Razy are acting out a scene from Hamlet ------->.*

*Brett Mckinney is enjoying a good book during English class.*

*Linda Martin, Justine Hussey, and Karle Serrano are doing some extremely helpful peer editing.*

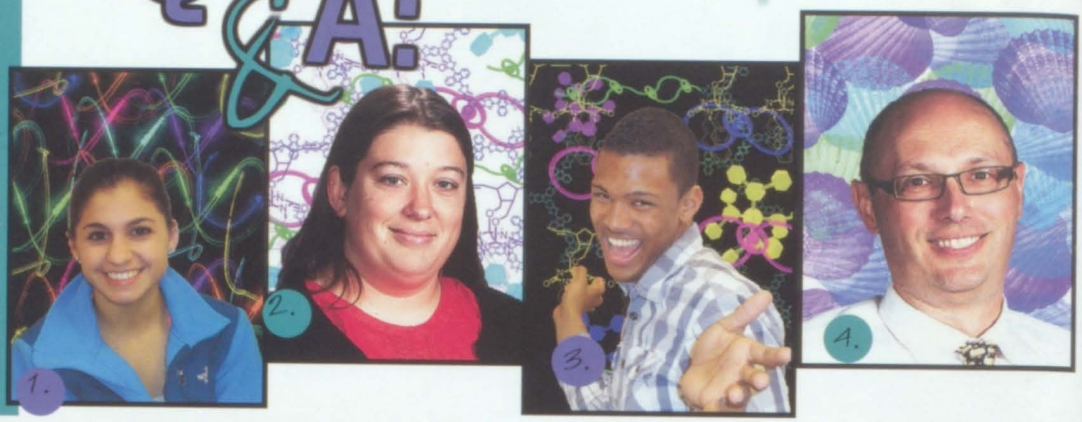
*Tiffany Dodge is working on her project during English class*

*Ms Scharf is going over a draft of Justine Espino's essay*

# Q&A: Science Department

*What is your favorite thing about Science?*

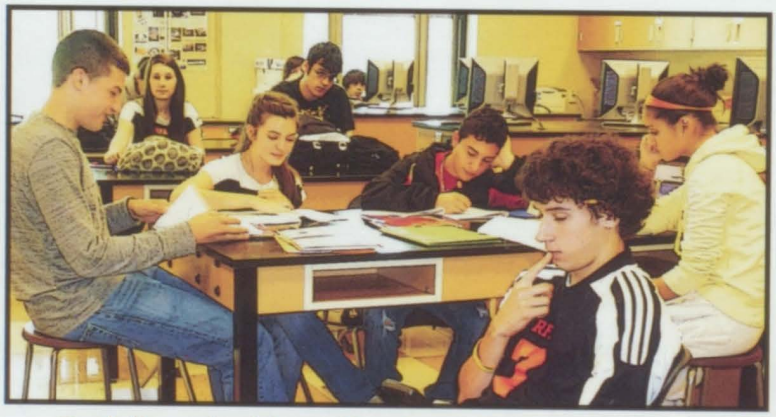
1. Courteney Fiorenza: To be in Mr. Connery's physics class and I love Phun Physics Phriday!
2. Ms. Downs: Having the oppurtunity to teach hands on experiments with difficult concepts.
3. Marcus Campos: Doing the color flame test in Chemistry lab, when it changed colors because of the reactions.
4. Mr. Maitland: The Unknown...



Left: Alex Samuels and Nino Campanella dissect a squid in Mr. Mainland's Marine Biology class.

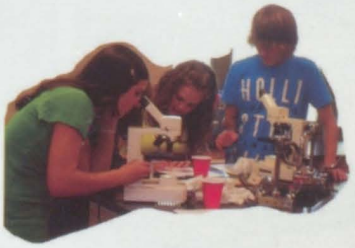
Above: Lindsey Gates studies the suckers on the Squid's tentacles.

Renee Connolly loves to work with rocks in Mr. Spado's Earth Science class.



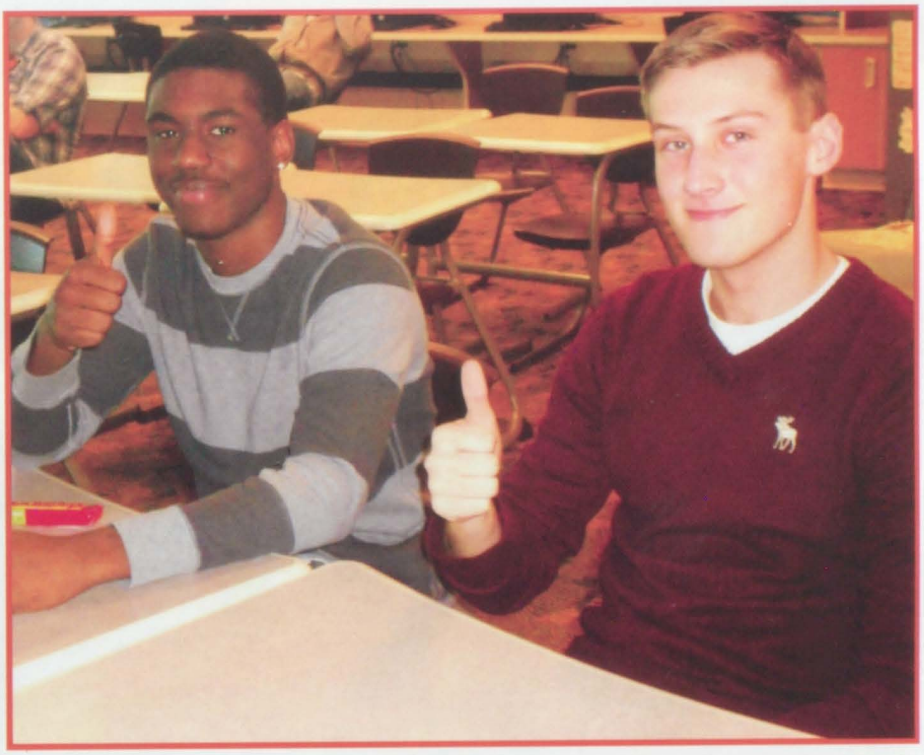
Zach Petroski, Marie Veschusio, Travis Nagurney, Courteney Fiorenza, and Michael Mellace working hard in physics lab.

Brianna Jaynes shows off her rock in Mr. Spado's class.



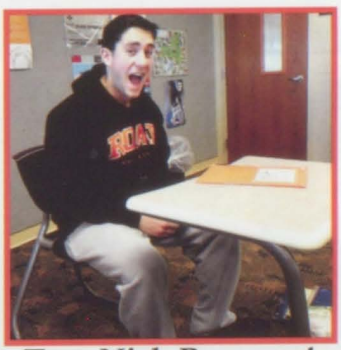
# Health Department

Bottom: George Brown is salvaging through his bookbag to find his homework.



Left: Connie Tripps gets easily destracted by the camera during health review.

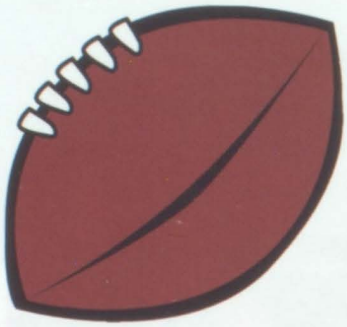
Top: Justin Henry & Brandon Gullo give Mr. Britton the approval on his class.

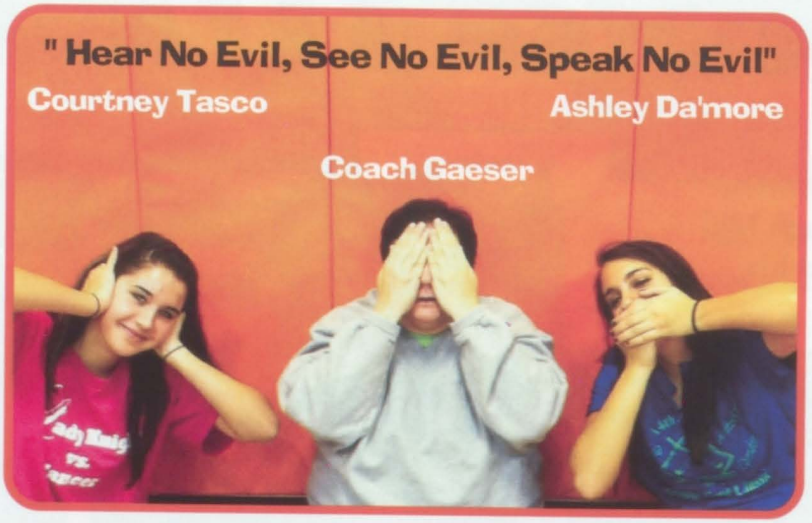


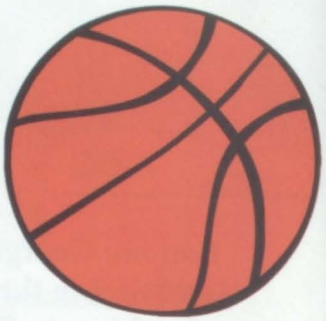
Top: Nick Bonanza! Working hard or hardly working?

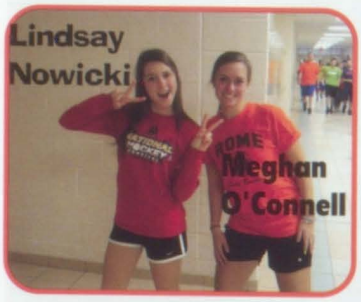
Left: Abby Gray was caught off guard but still looks gorgeous in her latest yearbook picture.

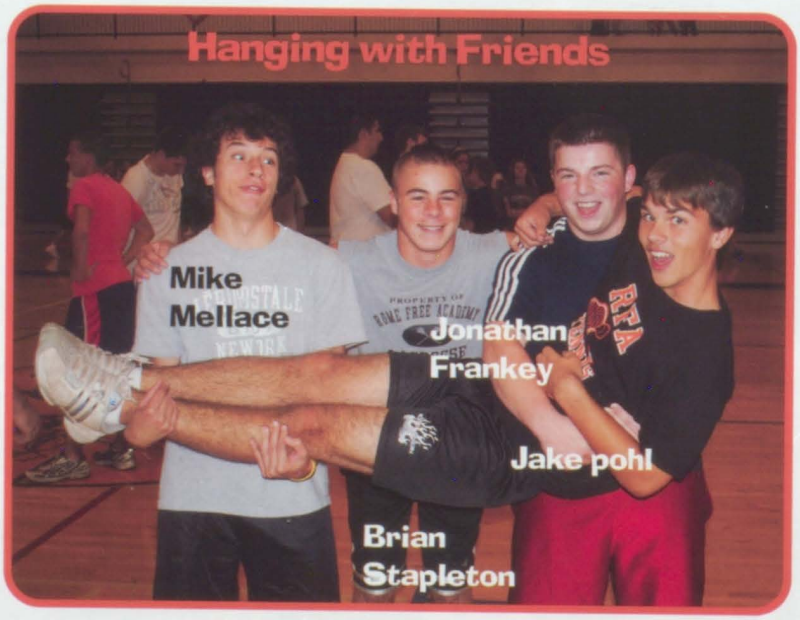
# Physical Education

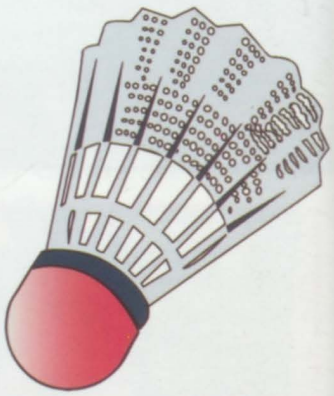


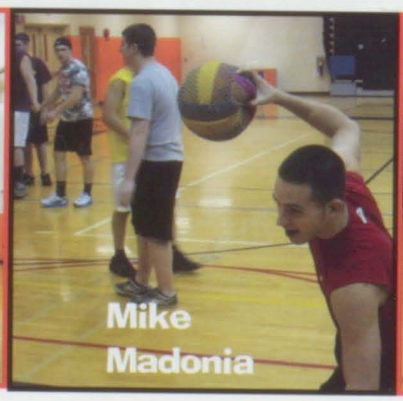


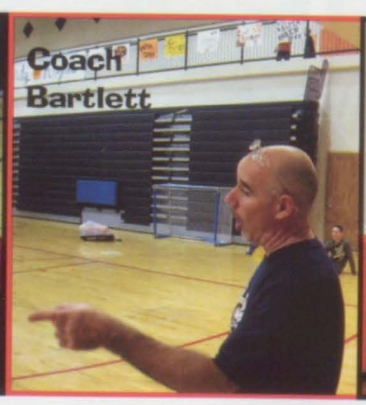



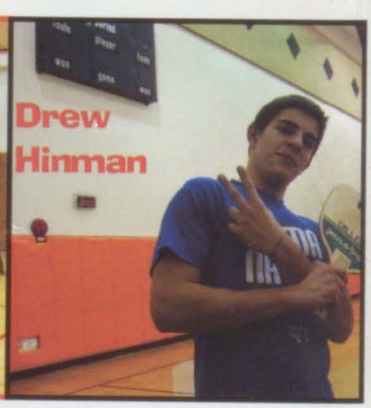




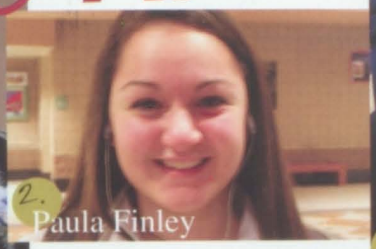




# Q & A: History Department

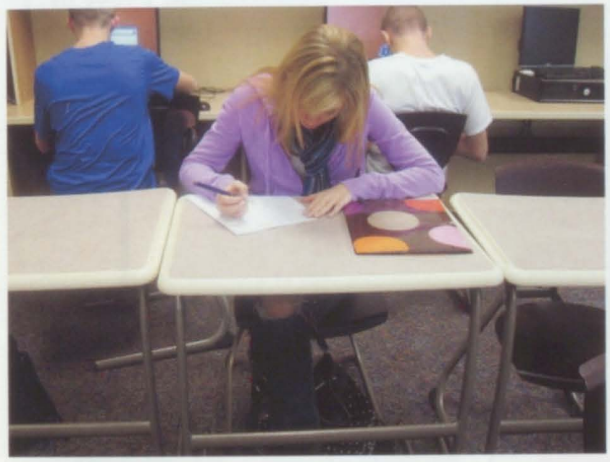


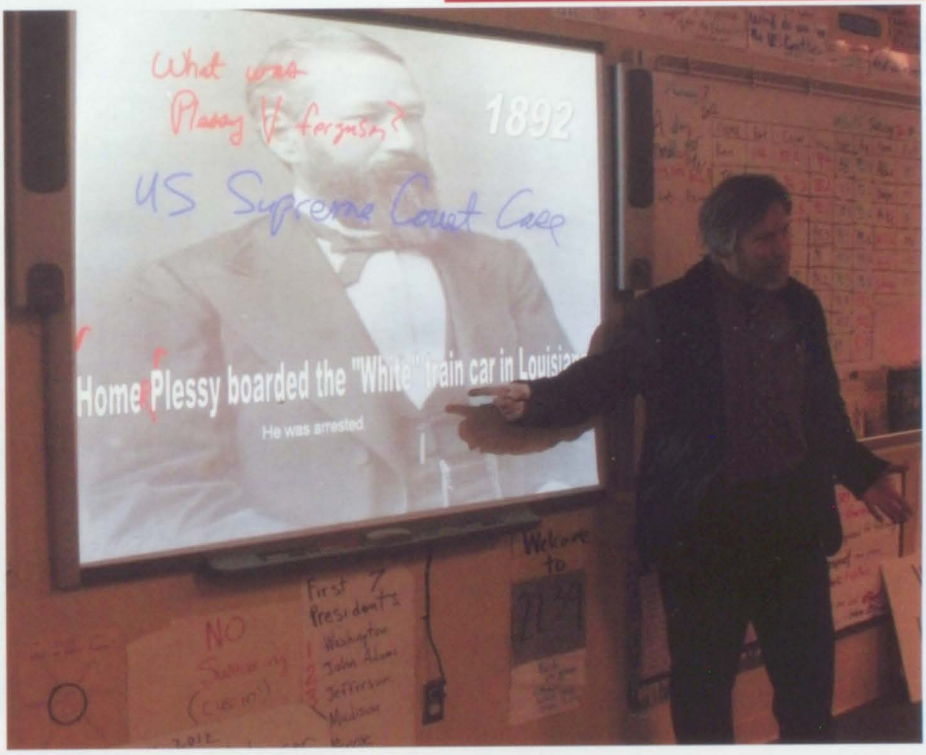
If you could go back in History who would you have dinner with?

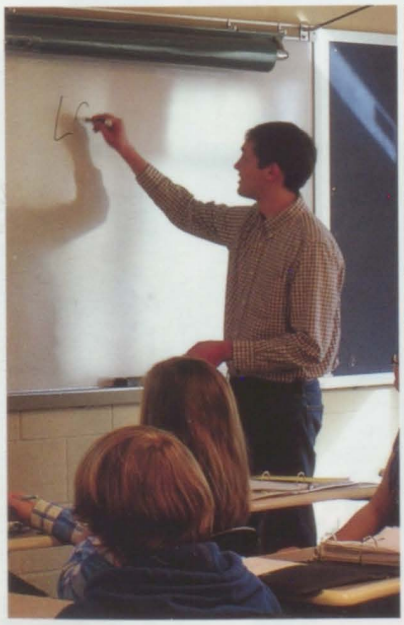
1. Ghandi because he stopped violence and chaos using non-violent protests.
2. George Washington because he was so influential to the future leaders of our country.
3. Elie Wiesel because he survived the holocaust and overcame great adversity.
4. Martin Luther King Jr. because he played such a big role in the acceptance of diffent races in America.

Mr Houser gives a scintallating lecture on Plessy vs. Ferguson

Rebecca Coffman works on the common assessment given to every class.



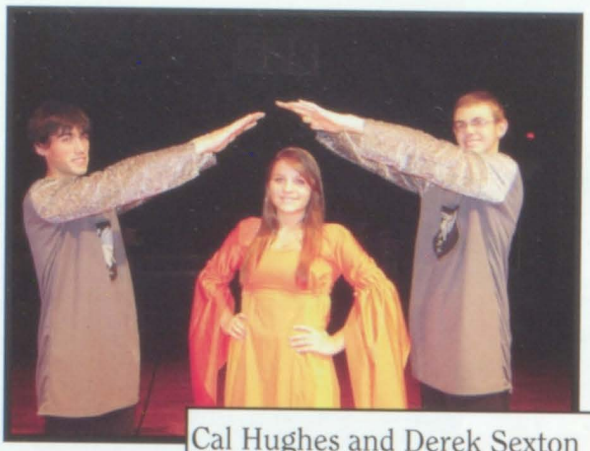


When he's not taking care of his hedgehog, Mr.Redhead imparts his wisdom to 9th grade students.

Ms. Arthur's students take a quiz in their 10th grade Global History class. Let's see if they have been paying attention

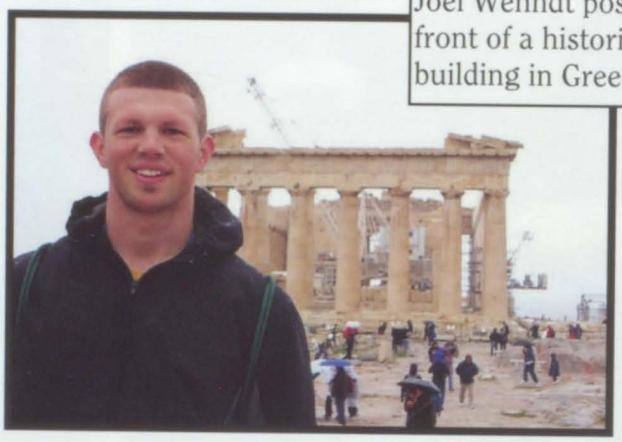
Sophomores Jacqlyn Colanglo and Shelia Olney take notes on the Holocaust during class. This will also help them when they begin reading the memoir *Night* in their English class.



Cal Hughes and Derek Sexton worship Taylor Uvanni.

*RFA offers a wide variety of activities & clubs for you to participate in. From Science Club, Broadway Showcase, & Italian Club, each contributes to what you want. The club leaders are teachers you'd see everyday, so there'd be no strangers! Each club is like a family, all unique, yet they all have something in common, the love for that one topic!*

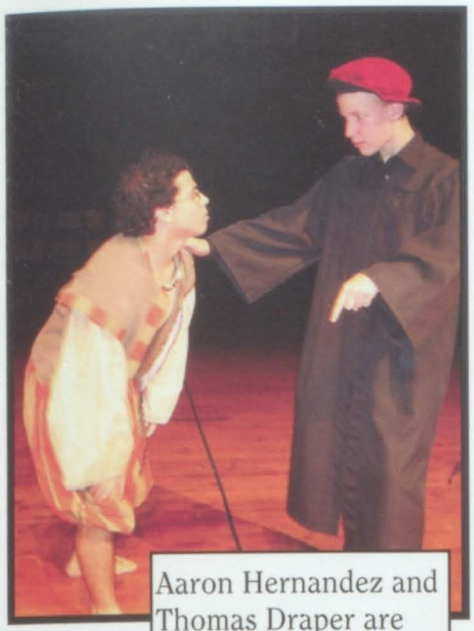
Jenna Lee creates static electricity with Alex Martin during an after school meeting of the RFA Science Club. Science Club meets Tuesdays after school.



Joel Wenndt poses in front of a historic building in Greece.

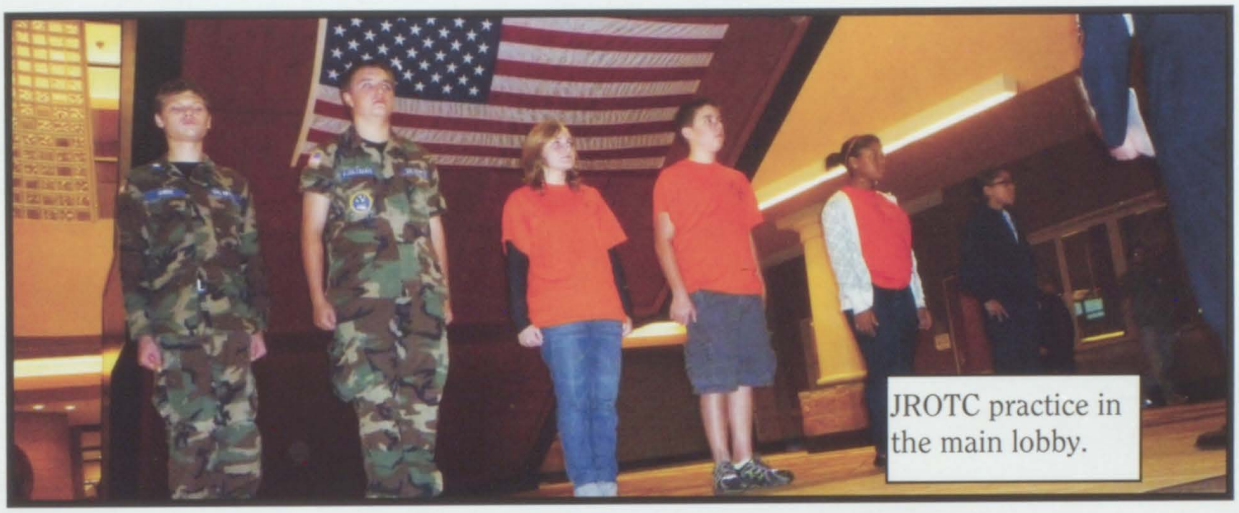
# Clubs

Abigail Nickles, Marie Veschusio, and Emily Canarelli rehearse for their parts in a play.



Aaron Hernandez and Thomas Draper are serious for acting.

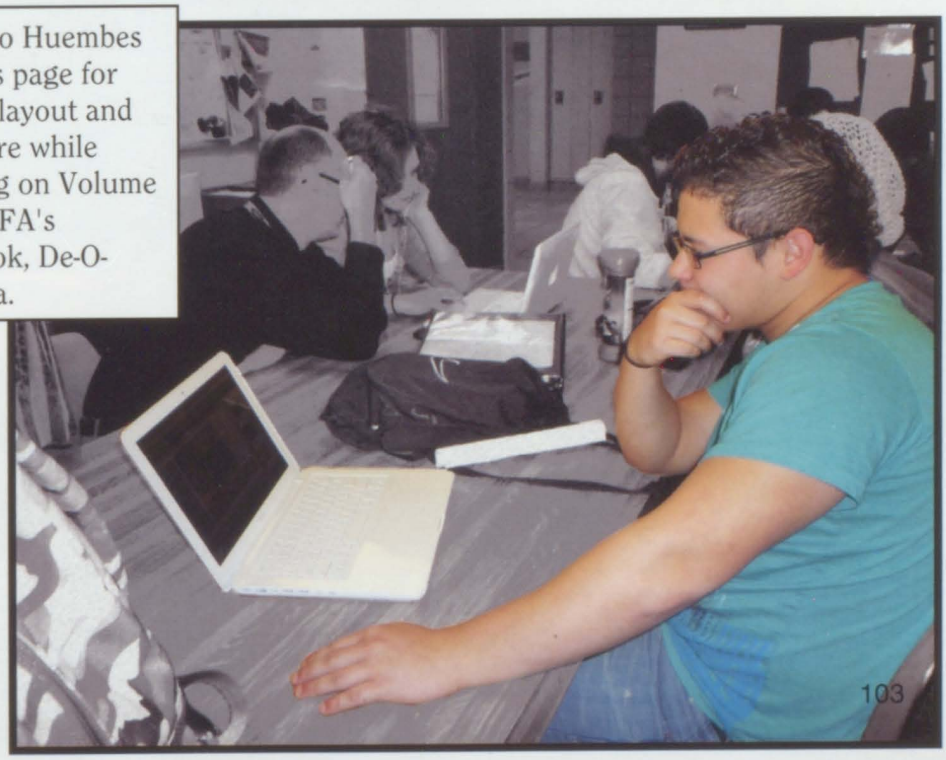
French Club members goof off in the large cafe after serving up an authentic French meal to their guests at the annual French Club Dinner.



JROTC practice in the main lobby.

Anna Morris rocks red braids and looks as cute as a little doll dressed as Raggedy Ann.

Wilfredo Huembes eyes his page for proper layout and structure while working on Volume 88 of RFA's yearbook, De-O-Wainsta.



# STASS

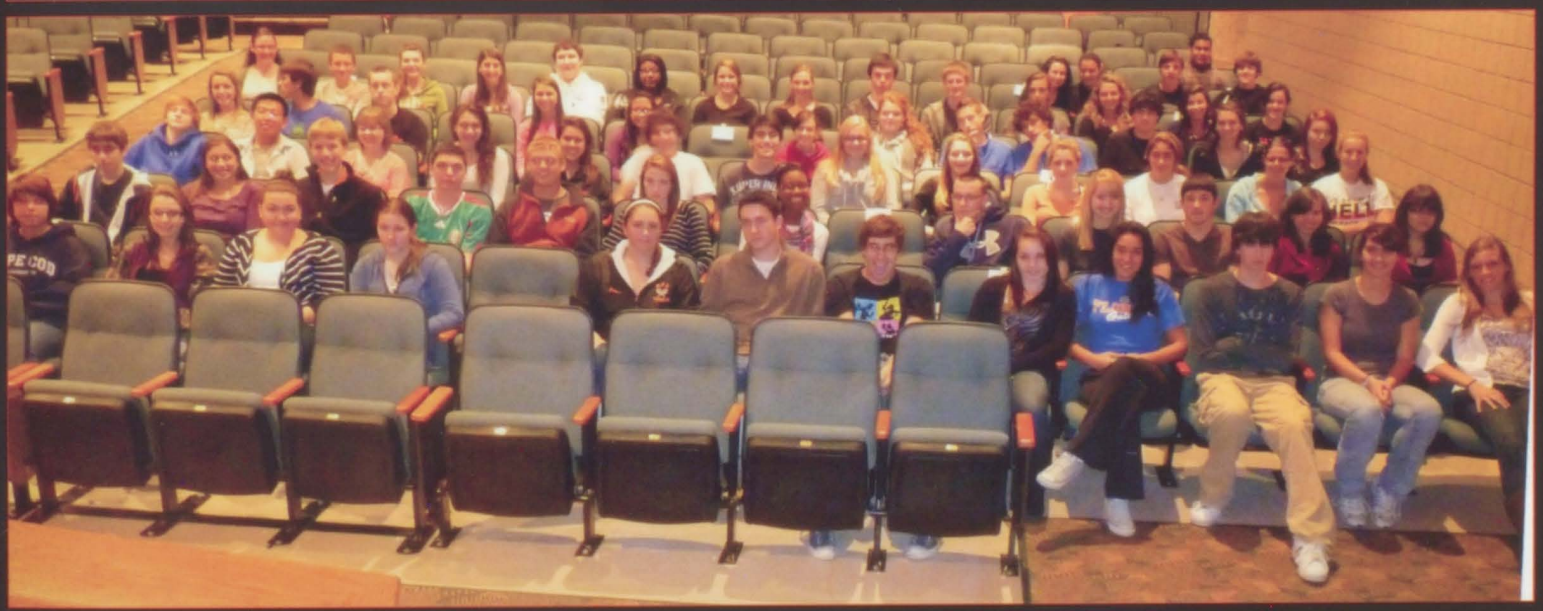
Seniors: Marcus Campos, Halie Schoff, Nicole Vanderjagt, Lindsey Gates, Melissa Gilbert, Jackie Sirni, Ali Duran, Courtney Tasco, Sam Shields, Sara Luczak, Rachel Noone, Nicole Campbell, Carly Bovi, Mike Kobito, Lauren Keaney, Katrina Piemonte.
Juniors: Lauren Popovich, Spencer Kahler, Jenna Lee, Madi Minicozzi, Nic Darois, Vic Darios, Brett McKinney, Kayli Smith, Ashley D'Amore, Ryan Noone, Krista Anken, Jordan General, Kyle Dombroski, Mckenzie Guy, Mike Jensen, Mike Mellace, Jessica Gallagher, Vita Puma, Sarah Canarelli, Abbie Nickles, Whitney Stevens, Jake Pohl, Lindsey Bartlett, Erik Winberg, Kyle Bojanek, Andrea Barrios, Alessandra Johnson, Curtis Wilhelmson, Sebastian Ferlo, Mark Fanelli, Josh Metzger.
Sophomore: Nick Nardslico, Bruce Entelisano, Erich Metzger, Josie Emmanuele, Ian Hetherington, Lauren McCarthy, Jasmine Millner, Brooke Miller, Alexa Macri, Emily Canarelli, Aaron Alshaman, Zach Tallarino, Sheila Olney, Kyle Baker, Justin Hussey, Jaqlyn Colangelo, Gianna Pasqualetti, Cat Rood, Becca Coffman, Haleigh Cavalier, Marisa Castro, Tyler Williams, Derek Wenndt, Gracie O'Connor.
Freshman: Morgan Murphy, Tricia Loso, Kirsten Kimball, Hope Ferris, Neil Ferris, Olivia Castro, Elania Lomery, Dan McCarthy, LJ Redpath, Tyler Marschall, Marissa Holmes, Eliza Escobar, Matt Smith, Juliana Pienonte, Colin Hetherington, Dana Glantz, Kaitlyn Dombrowski, Joey Campbell, Ankur Desai, Betsy Bamford, Brittany Stewart, Ricky Constible, Taylor Laughinghouse, Sarah Smith, Michael Brognano, Dylan Furney, Peter Mastracco, Andrew Bremer, Hannah Uvanni, Lyndon Hall, Abby Janes, Abbie Francescone, Cameron Mumpton, Katie Cook, Daygon Hughes.

# & Officers

Treasurer: Lindsey Gates, President: Marcus Campos
Vice President: Jenna Gillen, Secretary: Courtney Tasco

# HONOR SOCIETY

Front Row: Officers Carly Bovi, Emily Closinski, Michael Verostek, Randy Linderman
Second Row: Joel Wenndt, Brandon Gullo, Ryan Hughes, Steven Eychner, Tommy Amuso, Elizabeth Sylvester, Pitathip Chinwong
Third Row: Michael Tamburrino, Derek Sexton, Katrina Piemonte, Nicole Campbell, Andrea Eastup, Jamie Markinkowski, Jenna Gillen
Fourth Row: Richard Stapleton, Kaysie Gergory, Michael Vanderhoof, Lindsy D'aiuto, Halie Schoff, Alison Duran, Megan O'Connell, Rachel Hojnacki
Last Row: Rachel Noone, Sam Sheilds, Courtney Wheeler, Marykay Pruckno



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Second Row: Derek Feole, Lauren Felice, Thomas Draper, Sebastian Domenico, Kyle Dombrowski, Nicolette Daroris, Faith Daniels , Raymond Hosler, Brooke Cole, Kyle Coia, Katherine Chien, Selina Casadei
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Fourth Row: Lauren Popovich, Jacob Pohl, Todd Pawlikowski, Lindsay Nowicki, Amanda Nouvong, Anna Moris, Madelyn Minicozzi, Joshua Metzger, Michael Mellace, Nick Mecca, Meghan McCormick, Cassi Martin
Fifth Row: Brianna Weir, Zach Warren, Marie Veschusio, Carissa Tibbits, James Striker, Epiphany Storey, Whitney Stevens, Kayli Smith, Alex Singletary, Michael Seifert, Charley Sciorilli, Alexa Sanzone, Natasha Raffai, Hannah Premo
Sixth Row: Reanna Zappavigna, Alicia Wittmann, Eric Winberg, Curtis Wilhelmsen

# Spanish Club

Back Row: Mrs. Capponi, Michael Mahl, Zachary Warren, Michael Verostek, Benjamin Salloum, Drew Hinman, Lauren Popovich

Middle Row: Lauren Felice, Andrea Barrios, Cassandra Martin, Nicole Mcreynolds, Madelyn Minicozzi

Front Row: Tamara Castro-Santos, Amanda Nouvong, Hannah Premo, Keylee Fonseca

# Italian Club

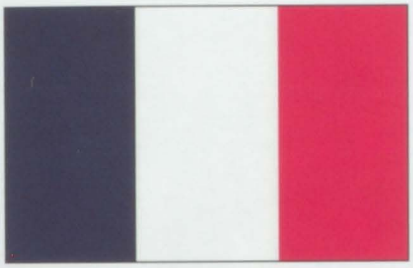
Back Row: Carlo Cotronea, Justin Hussey, Aaron Alshaman, Ryan Dimezzo

Front Row: Paige Plumley, Emily Canarelli, Amy Marcoccia, Bailey Plumley

Missing: Sarah Canarelli, Linda Martin, Zachary Olivas, Alexis Bravo, Eric Metzger

Shannon Merchant and Josie Emmanuele

# French Club



Back Row: Michael Tamburrino, Mrs. Olney, Kyle Coia, Todd Pawlikowski, Mike Bailey, Greg Malowicki, Sam Hallenbeck, Kathyrn Fulghum, Kirsten Kimball, David Copeland, Khadeem Joseph, Curt Wilhelmson, Jesse Baumes, Elisabeth Hayes, Veronica Kessler, Bethany Mathy, Krystyna Last, Jennifer Mersereau, Andrea Eastup, Tanner Harding, Ryan Tamburrino, Ashlyn Bardin, Mrs. Abouharia, Ian Hesse

Middle Row: Ashley Centore, Faith Whitmore, Maddie Tikalsky, Reagan Lawton, Lindsay Snell

Front Row: Pirathip Chinwong, Emily Malowicki, Khadeem Joseph, Kyle Feldman, Olivia Caro, Charley Sciorilli, Alex Raffai, Alex Martin

At the French Club Dinner, members in the club let everyone enjoy a taste of French cuisine.

# History Club

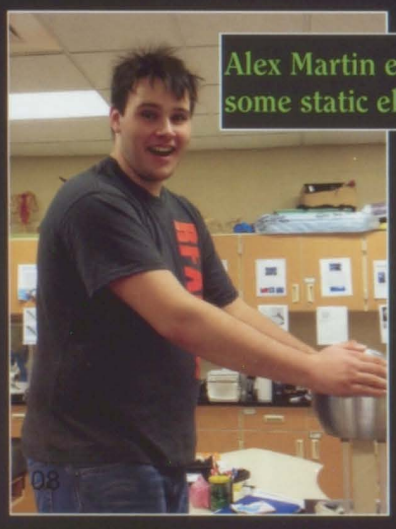
Left to Right: Mrs. Boyce-Anderson, Monica Taylor, Natasha Raffai, Jessica Gallagher, Rachel Noone, Samantha Roush, Sarah Seedat

# Science Club

Front Row: Christina Hernandez, Emily Malowicki, Sonita Giardino, Jenna Lee

Middle Row: Michael Rothrock, Alex Martin, Gregory Malowicki, Aleigha Hawkins, Taylor Haley

Back Row: Spencer Kahler, Brianna Weir, Mrs.Calogero, Hannah Premo, Mr.Maitland, Isabella Cavaggioni



Alex Martin experiences some static electricity!

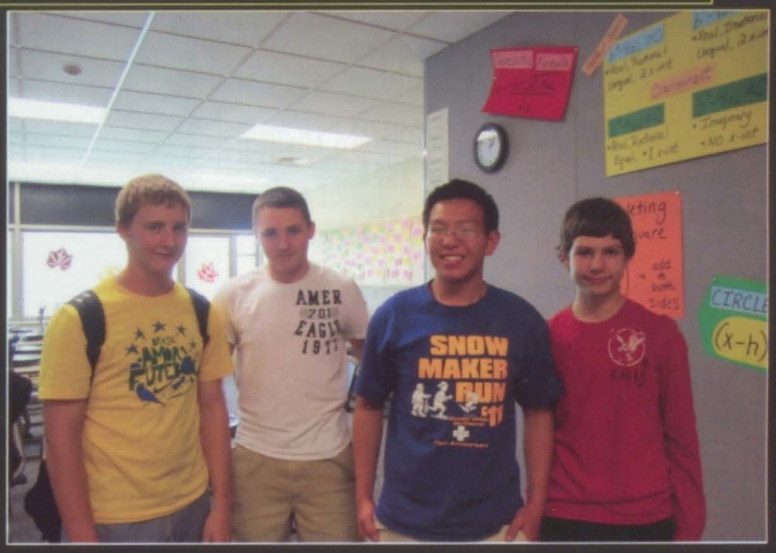
Mrs. Calogero joins in on the fun!

Jenna Lee gets electrified!

# Mathletics

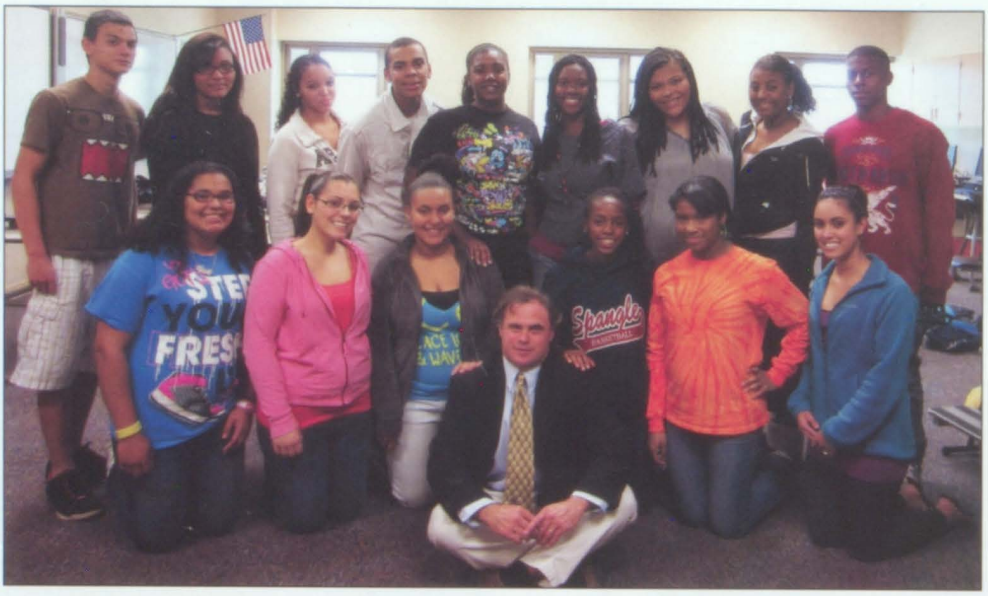
Left to Right: Michael Vanderhoof, Katrina Piemonte, Lindsey Gates, Mrs. Nardslico, Nicole Campbell, Randy Linderman, Daniel Patterson, Michael Verostek, Michael Tamburrino

Left to Right: Andrew Jeselson, Brianna Weir, Kyle Bojanek, Ashley Hrim, Jordan General, Monica Taylor




Left to Right: Randy Linderman, Daniel Patterson, Barry Li, Evan Griffiths

Zachary Linderman



# Black History

Back Row: William Nonluecha, Samantha Simmons, Nyaishia Bennet, Ervin McIntyre, Epiphany Storey, Faith Daniels, Maya Nelson, Kashyah Williams, Alex Smith

Front Row: Desiree McIntyre, Jade Santiago, Shelby Clark, Mr. Lacey, Tanya Lombardo, Quiana Holmes, Alana Salloum

# Speech & Debate

Back Row: Chris Ciulla, Jonathan Pirillo, Joseph Serrano, Mr.Lacey, Zackary Linderman, Kyle Dombrowski

Front Row: Michael Tamburrino, Kyle Feldman, Marissa Holmes, Kyle Bojanek, Derek Feole

# Engineering

Back Row: Desmond Clay, Kiersten Scott, Marianna Haugen, Jean Louis, Cole Vetorne, Mark Schrader, Ben Olney, Ian Hetherington

Front Row: Liam Brown, Sawyer Razy, Erich Metzger, James Striker, Sgt. Pray

Missing: Andrea Eastup

# BSI

Left to Right: McKenzie O'Herien, Lauren Popovich, Ms.Arthur, Erik Winberg

# Peer Leaders

Mikayla Phillips, Nicole O'Brien, Amanda Kekic, Khadeem Joseph, Ashleigh Phillips, Ervin McIntyre, Jenna Laroy, Samantha Washburn, Mrs. Boyce-Anderson

# Key Club

Back Row: Regan Lawton, Brittany Labus, Emily Tardugno,Sarah Cannarelli, Krista Anken, Jordan General, Teira Hawkins, Nicole Anken, Isabella Cavaggioni, Joseph Incorvaia, Gabe Cavaggioni, Andrew Jeselson

Middle Row: Aleigha Hawkins, Teresa Anken

Front Row: Thomas Hawkins, Barry Li

# Galleries

Left to Right: Selina Casadei, Katherine Chien, Elaina Lomery, Betsy Bamford, Brooke Cole, Nicole Aiello, Matthew Deyo'orlowske

On the Floor: Tanner Abel

# Knight Times

Back Row: Lauren Popovich, Mike Verostek, Mrs. Nelson, Nicole Mingos, Brooke Cole, Josie Emmanuele, McKenzie O'Herien

Front Row: Lindsay D'Aiuto, Anthony Parker, Mike Tamburrino, Emily Mumpton

# Drama

Back Row: Brittany Stewart, Nicholas Chadwell, Brett Rossi

Third Row: Brad Armitage, Madison Tikalsky, Colin Edwards, Khadeem Joseph, Noah Dartt

Second Row: Dakota Andersen, Jaqueline Ackerman, Ms.Boyce

Bottom Row: Marie Veschiso, Marie Byrnes, Olivia Caro, Charley Sciorilli, Jordain Kelly

# Marching Band

From Left to Right; Row 1: Dan Goewey, Jake Loson, Tommy Fleming, Jeremi Briggs, Adam Noyes, Kobie Reed. Row 2: Nate Rosa, Kevin Beckwith, Mike Tamburrino, Dylan Redmond, Derek Sexton, Tom Pearson. Row 3: Devyn Arredondo, Brianna Coia, Mandye Hanna, Charley Sciorilli, Sarah Fleck, Lauren McCarthy, Linda Martin, Jasmine Millner, Jordan Willson. Row 4: Nicole O'Brien, Camilla Corum, Emily Closinski, Caitlyn Gallagher, Brittany Liddy, NIcole Benedict, Abigail Houle, Samantha Hallenbeck, Tricia Loso, Christina Carissimo. Row 5: Erin Pfieffer, Faith Daniels, Morgan Davis, Sonita Giardino, Jenna Lee, Elaina Lomery, Candice Kantor, Ashley Hrim. Row 6: Ashlyn Bardin, Michaela Wright, Kathryn Fulghum, Devin KIlpatrick, Greg Tirenin, Sarah Seedat, Kayla Willis, Megan Scaccia, Carlo Cotronea, Monica Taylor, Jaycie Staring, Korena Kinney. Row 7: Jesse Baumes, Tara Allen, Amy Marcoccia, Kaitlyn Dombrowski, Eileen Michik, Connor Butters, Zach Camp, Kyle Bojanek, Claire Kondella. Row 8: Joseph Incorvaia, Jake Rienzo, Kevin Utter, Samantha Goodman, Xavier Mason-Malone, Evan Griffith, Kyle Dombrowski, Morgan Carpenter. Row 9: Mark Schrader, Dana Glantz, Jasmine Meerdink, Emily Dupont, AJ Parker, Jonah Allen, Christian Johnson, Zach Linderman, Andrew Bremer, Shane Carelli, David Copeland, Pat Haugen, Erik Winberg, Alex Cianfrano. Row 10: Ryan Parry, Cal Hughes, Quiana HOlmes, Chloe CArdwell, Whitney Stevens, Celeste Oppito, Cole Vetrone, Tyler Cavanagh, James Harvey. Row 11: Drum Major Alex Martin. Not Pictured: Ankur Desai, Nicolette Darois, Victoria Darois, Gracie O'Connor

# Color Guard

From Left to Right: Mandye Hanna, Charley Sciorilli, Sarah Fleck, Jordan Wilson, Linda Martin, Lauren McCarthy, Jasmine Millner, Brianna Coia, Devyn Arredondo. Missing: Gracie O'Connor

# Broadway Showcase

1st Row: Derek Sexton, Andrea Barrios, Callahan Hughes
2nd Row: Taylor Uvanni, Elizabeth Sylvester, Abbie Nickles, Marie Veschusio, Thomas Draper
3rd Row: Anna Morris, Aaron Hernandez, Chloe Cardwell
4th Row: Emily Canarelli, Quiana Holmes

Left to Right: Aaron Hernandez, Thomas Draper, Kyle Dombrowski, Callahan Huges, Zach Linderman

# Jazz Choir

Back Row: Abbie Nickles, Emily Canarelli, Andrea Barrios, Chloe Cardwell, Marie Veschusio, Elizabeth Sylvester, Taylor Uvanni

Front Row: Daniel Goeway, Derek Sexton, Anna Morrs, Thomas Draper, Aaron Hernandez

# 9th Grade Choir

1st Row: Cynthia Medina, Tesa Larsen, Randi Skinner, Shakira Serrano, Marilyn Petrie , and Sarah Sciorrili.
2nd Row: Alyssa Babcock, Kirsten Kimball, Trista Davis, T'Aime Cotto, Mackenzie Welch, Alaia Cauthen, Alexis Pape, Kaitlyn Ellinger.
3rd Row: Alyssa Lince, Veronica Kessler, Tyler Smith, Victor Hamann, Dakota Anderson, Rachel Geary, Mikayla Phillips.
4th Row: Tanyeajua Rodriguez, Hannah Lohr,Samantha Goodman, Devin Kilpatrick, Nicholas Chadwell, Ariana Pacheco, Madison Varano,Jessica Acosta, Breeanne VanValkenburgh, Amanda Vanhoeven
5th Row: Kaylee Rowland, Emily McClosky, Shanyra Poole, David Goodmore, Michael Malinowski, Samantha Manning, Olivia Caro,
6th Row: Aliyah Aikens, Mercedes Fancher, Mariah Mays, Evan Drozd, Justin Houle, Mackenzie Hyde, Kayla Acevedo, Courtney Baker, Briana Willis, Kaitlyn Booth

# Select Choir

Back row: Derek Sexton, Thomas Draper, Kyle Dombrowski, Callahan Hughes, Zach Linderman

Middle row: Emily Canarelli, Anna Morris, Taylor Uvanni, Chloe Cardwell, Elizabeth Sylvester, Quiana Holmes, Aaron Hernandez

Kneeling: Abbie Nickles, Marie Veschusio, Andrea Barrios

# JROTC

## Alpha Flight

Back Row: T. White, C. Thayer, D. Bledsoe, D. Fezza

Middle Row: N. O'Brien, M. Brown, B. Parks

Front Row: B. Santmyer, C. Smith

## Bravo Flight

Back Row: JJ, Polivka, K. Utter, J. White, A. Butler, J. Goodwin, E. Russel, K. Preston

Middle Row: E. Reyes, D. Champlin, R. Pinti, M. Mendoza, A. Jones, B. Smith

Front Row: B. Burns, P. Degraef, L. Webb, M. Smith

## Charlie Flight

Back Row: B. Boisen, T. Sperl, X. Mason - Malone, A. Eadline, N. Marshall

Middle Row: L. Watkins, I. Hesse, J. Vega, R. Hamann

Front Row: A. Johnson, A. Ramsdale

## Delta Flight

ack Row: R. Burk, J. Serrano, T. Selvetti, N. yers, D. Shearer

iddle Row: K. Shephard, T. Frey, D. Pardy, J. iranda

ront Row: M. Tikalsky, V. Hamann, R. Geary

## Echo Flight

Back Row: J. Wood, W. Goodwin, D. Drake, V. Manna, C. Latendress

Middle Row: R. Mortise, B. Edwards, A. Armstrong, H. Wasco

Front Row: M. Schisler, V. Zecca

## Golf Flight

To the left: T. Smith, T. Torres, C. Hayes

## Foxtrot Flight

To the right:
Back Row: D. Riggleman, C. Fauci, C. Redus, C. Hayes

Third Row: A. Pardee, S. Finneman, H. Lohr

Second Row: M. Htoo, E. Dupont

Front Row: Y. Cordero

# Art Club

Back Row: Emily Pooley, Lindsey Cameron, Maryann Gonzalez

Middle Row: Madelyn Minicozzi, Brooke Cole, Melissa Nowak, Elizabeth Serrano, Erin Cady

Front Row: Ashley Hrim, Faith Daniels

# Chess Club

Sitting: Kameron Brockway and Hunter Raphial

Standing: Nicole Aiello, Matthew Deyo'orlowske, Michael Rothrock, Richard Benedict, Kiersten Scott

# Rhapsody

Front Row from left: Director Jake Meiss, Ryan Vinci, Becca Coffman, Dan Goeway, Krista MacDonald, Joey Mastraccio, Emily Canarelli, Aaron Hernandez, Linda Martin, Alex Martin, Devyn Arredondo, Jasmine Millner, Kevin Utter, Lauren Impicciatore, Evan Griffith, Anna Morris, Connor Butters, Director Michelle Rushford

Back Row from left: Kyle Bojanek, Alex Cianfrano, Kyle Coia, Carly Bovie, Ryan Pary, Kobie Reed, Andrea Barrios, David Deeley, Nicolette Darois, Jake Pohl, Jordan Willson, Gracie O'Connor, Jake Loson, Quiana Holmes, Joe Trips, Sarah Fleck, Cal Hughes, Kylee Weissmuller, Xavier Cruz, Andrew Bremer, Kyle Dombrowski, Tommy Fleming

# Jazzband

**Back Row:** Tyler Cavanagh, Tommy Fleming, Jeremi Briggs, Jonah Allen, David Copeland, Christian Johnson, Zach Linderman, Andrew Bremer, Derek Sexton, Pat Haugen
**Third Row:** Dana Glantz, Ashley Hrim, Alex Cianfrano, Christina Carissimo, Dylan Redmond, Ryan Parry
**Second Row:** Cal Huges, Devyn Arredondo, Maddi Minicozzi, Elaina Lomery, Nicolette Darois, Kyle Bojanek, Claire Kondella, Evan Griffith, Brianna Coia
**Front Row:** Zach Camp, Joseph Incorvaia, Kyle Dombrowski, Linda Martin, Kaitlyn Dombroski, Eileen Michik, Ankur Desai
**Missing:** Connor Butters, Erik Winberg

# Ski Club

Mercedez Birnie, Michael Brognano, Eddie Campos, Amanda Carollo, Kerira Carson, Jake Chitty, Patrick Costello, Kevin Cross, Nicolette Darois, Victoria Darois, Jacob DeMatteo, Ankur Desai, Joe Domizio, Kaitlyn Dombrowski, Lauren Felice, Gabriel Fillippini, Joe Fleming, Dylan Furney, Dylan Fournier, Dana Glantz, Sam Grunder, Annika Guilano, Lyndon Hall, Thomas Harding, Ian Hesse, Abigail Janes, Alexandra Kimmel, Evan Kiskiel, Brittany Labuz, Richard Labuz, Zach Labuz, Ross Lauber, Reagan Lawton, Jake Luczak, Vinney Manna, Jared Mattie, Amy Marcoccia, Brett Mckinney, Mike Mersereau, Jennifer Mersereau, Travis Murphy, Tyler Nobis, Melissa Nowak, Ben Olney, Zach Petroski, Alex Raffai, James Striker, Deric Tuthill, Christopher Uvanni, MacKenzie Welch, Drake Wilson, Tyler Wilson, Mr. Tuggey, Mr. Bartlett

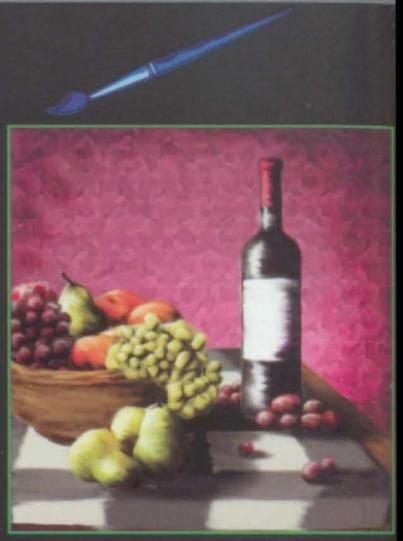
# Social Action Corps

Front Row: Amanda Nouvong, Kelsey Beach, Tyler King, Brooke Cole, Emily Beach, Ashley Armstrong, Mrs. Neily, Mrs. Pugliano

Back Row: Stephanie Dibert, Alexis Bravo, Jen Decker, Kyle Coia, Richard Theall, Mike Martino

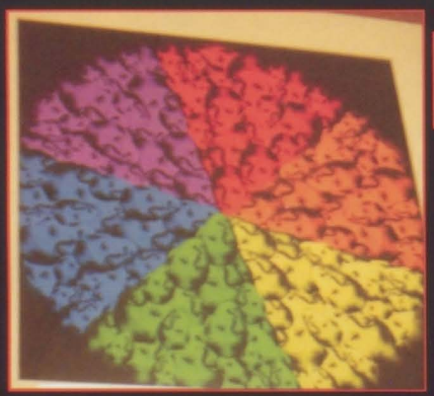
Missing: Michael Verostek, Kevin Cross, Gabe Filipini

Ramon Hernandez shows the different ways you can use the type tool in photoshop.



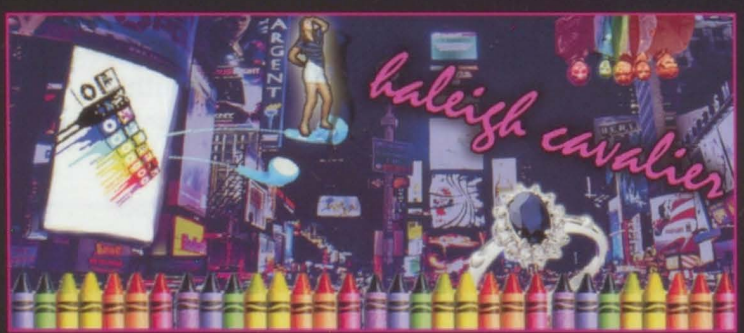
Stephanie Capria built a detailed still life showing light and shadows during multimedia.

Art



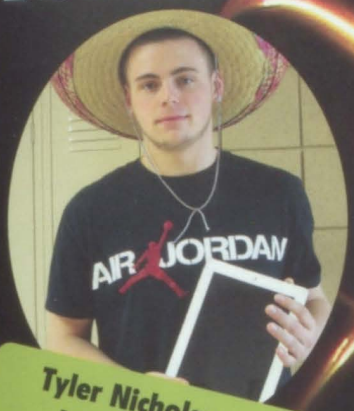
Tanner Abel shows his idol Twiggy in a creative color wheel.

Holly Schwenning built an intriguing piece of art in ceramics class.




Haleigh Cavalier expresses herself in a nametag. The nametags show characteristics of the person and things in life that they enjoy.

# Whats hot?




Tyler Nicholas with his fancy iPad.

Halie Schoff keeping up to date in the hallway with her iPhone.

KaShaun Cyrus listening to his Beats.

#Twitter

# Whats not?

Computer's are not as popular now since the IPad came out

This old verizon phone has been forgotten as the new IPhone has come out

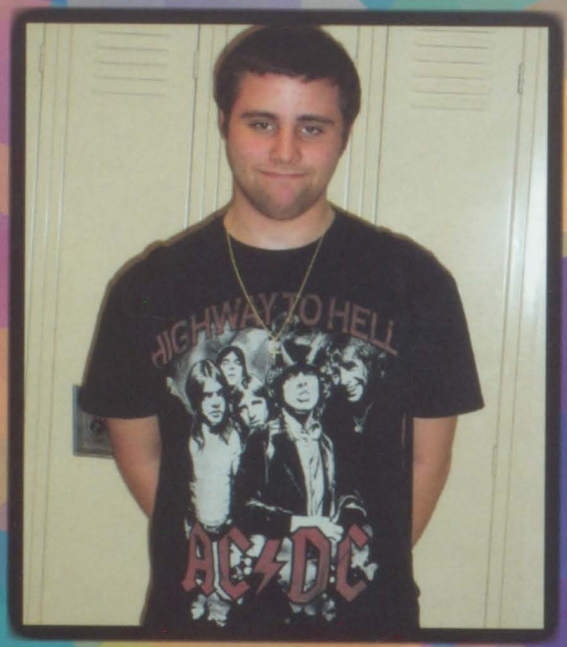
Forget the boom box, Beats are were its at

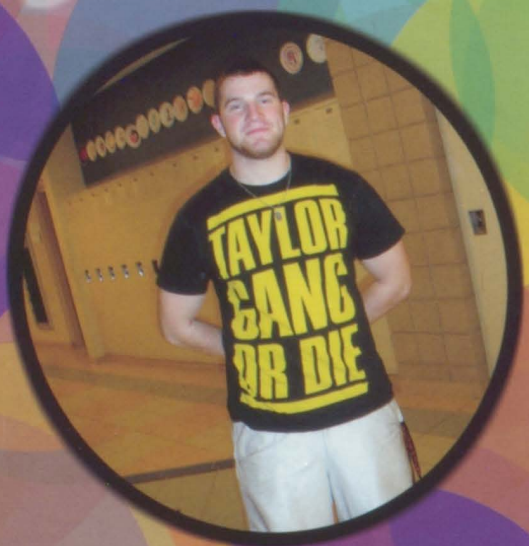
myspace.com

Myspace

# Technology

## Trends



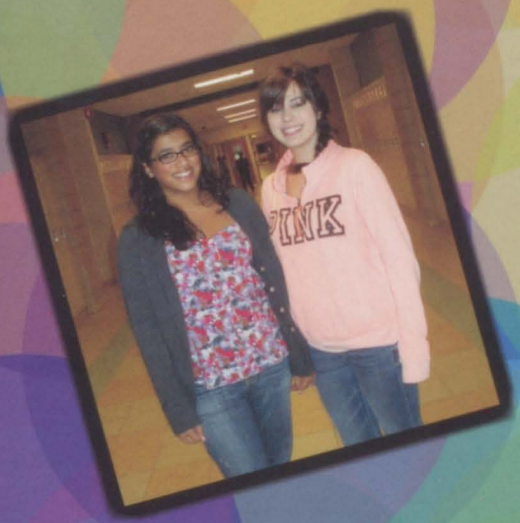



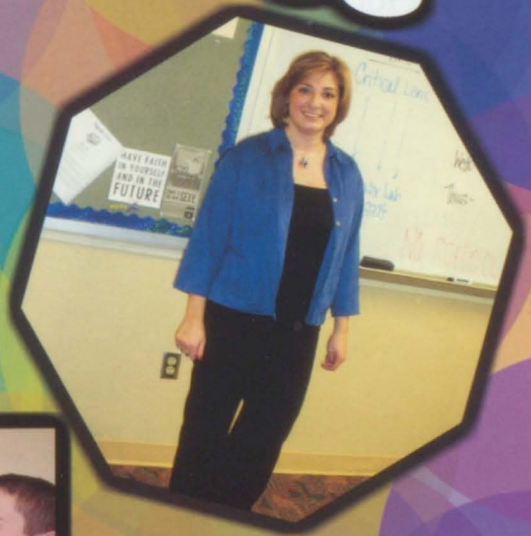

## Music

# Hairstyles

Here at Rome Free Academy, we have a very diverse student population. Whether it be types of music, technology, or even clothing preferences, there is a wide variety of each represented at this school.

# Fashion Sense

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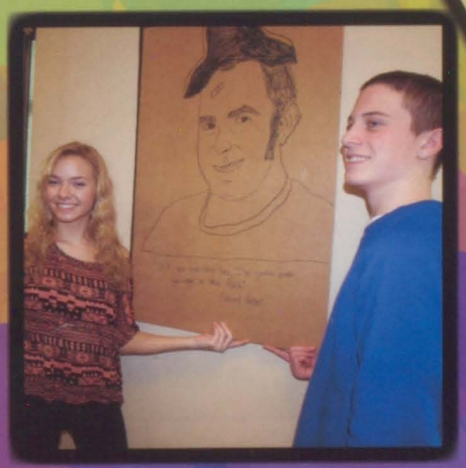
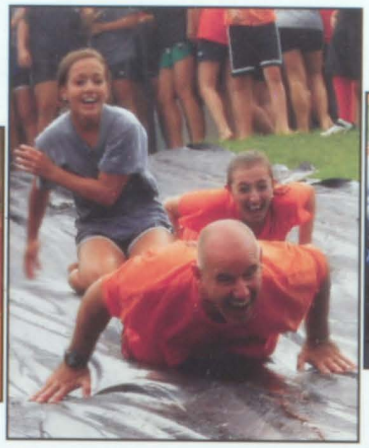
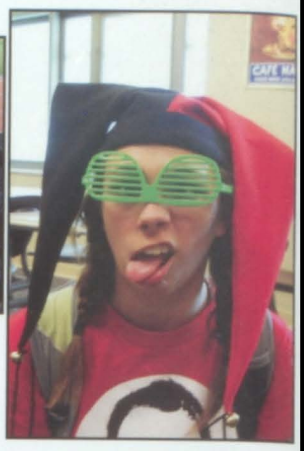
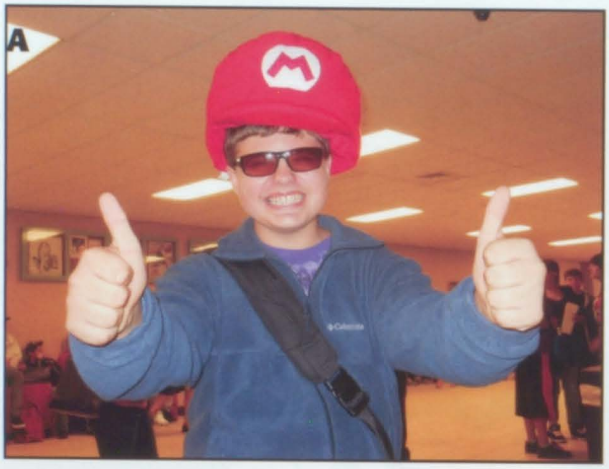




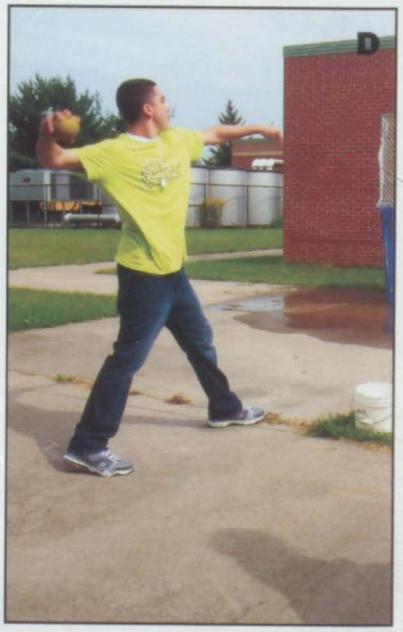




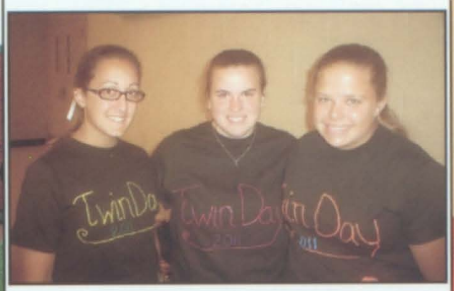

**A:** Tim Szajar proudly wears a Mario hat for hat day during Spirit Week.

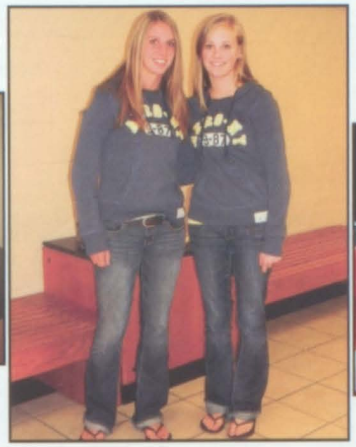
**B:** Mr. Benson is waiting with anticipation to be dunked by a student during the Pep Rally after school.

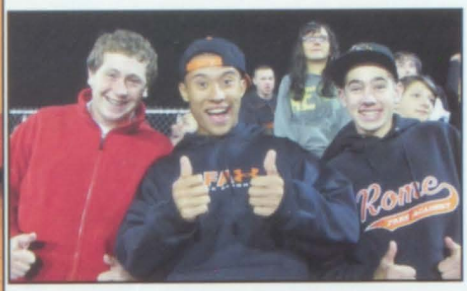
**C:** Taylor Whooten is having a blast on the slip-n-slide during the Pep Rally.




**D:** Garrett Reilley makes an attempt at dunking one of the teachers.





The RFA football team went against Thomas R. Proctor in this years homecoming game. It was very close and competitive but RFA took the win with a score of 24-21.

**Homecoming King and Queen:**

Marcus Campos & Jenna Gillen

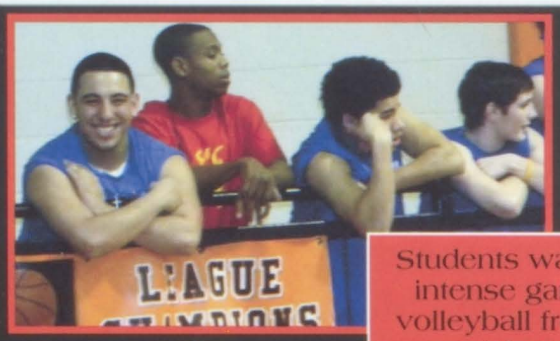
**Homecoming Court:**

Left to Right: Lindsay D'Aiuto, Caitlyn Gallagher, Sawyer Razy, Carly Bovi, Melissa Gilbert

# Spirit Week & Homecoming

# Heat of Fusion

Jack Rotolo jumps into the winning cannonball for the Seniors.



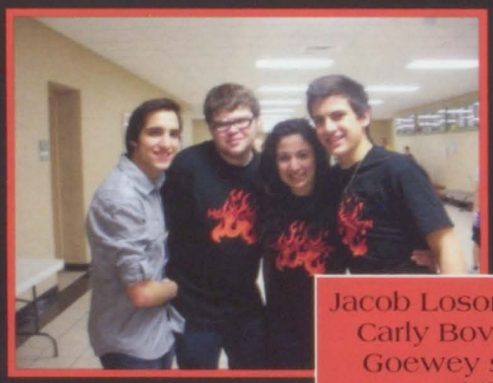
Students watch an intense game of volleyball from the upstairs track.

Michael Kobito after scoring a perfect 10 in the cannonball contest.

Two teams of sophomores play against each other in a game of volleyball to see who makes it to the finals.

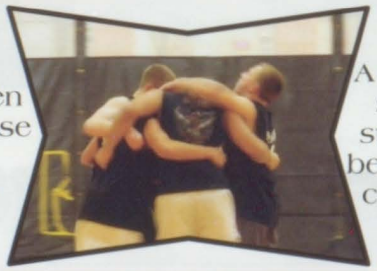
A team of underclassmen play a game of speedball.

Barry Li studies his next move against Xavier Vanvalkenburgh in a game of chess.

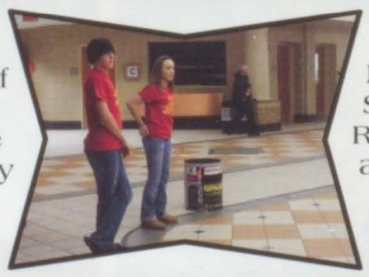


Jacob Loson, Kobie Reed, Carly Bovi, and Daniel Goewey smile for the camera while practicing for Kan Jam.

The freshmen play an intense game of speedball.



A group of seniors strategize before they compete.



McKenzie Smith and Ryan Gavin are a great team for Kan Jam.



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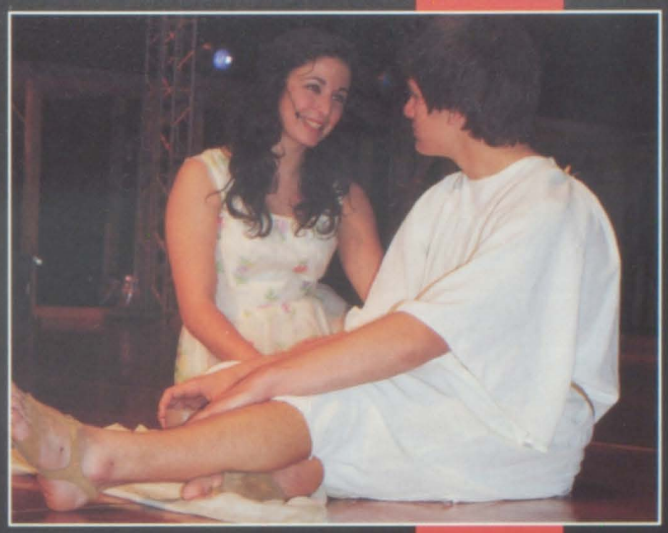
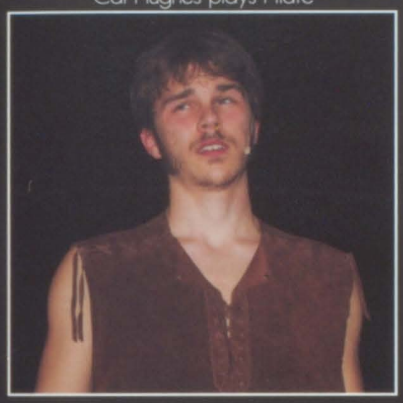
# Jesus Christ Superstar



Senior Carly Bovi playing Mary Magdalene comforts Jesus (Dan Goewey) as he take on the struggles of being Jesus.

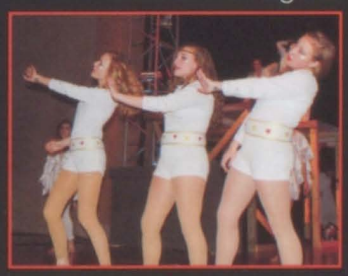
Cal Hughes plays Pilate

Jesus played by Dan Goewey carries his cross to the stage for the final scene.



Jake Pohl playing Peter sings as he finds out about Jesus' arrest.

Quiana Holmes playing Judas sings her final solo.



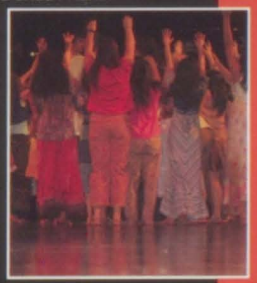
The Soul Sisters are played by Rebecca Coffman Emily Canarelli and Linda Martin

Kyle Dombrowski, Christina Hernandez, Tom Draper, Elizabeth Sylvester, Aaron Hernandez play the priests.

Alex Martin leads a tap number as he plays King Herod.

Jake Losan performs as a solider

Tormentor Kaitlyn Dombrowski hugs her brother Kyle, playing a priest during a break.



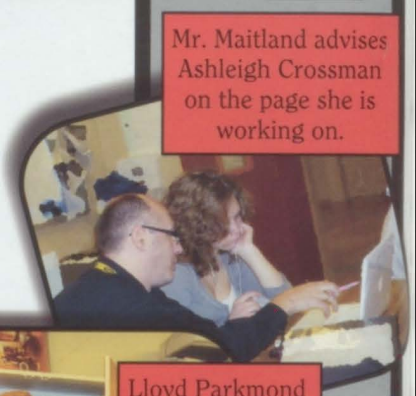
The whole cast comes with a song.

Connor Butters dances during Superstar

# 8th Period

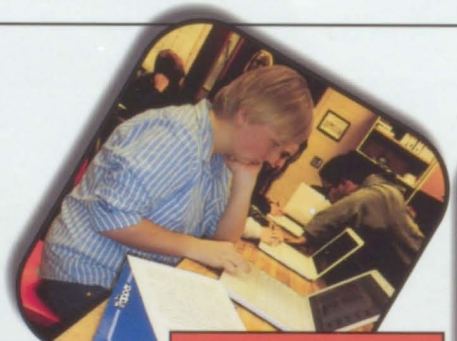
Mike Paolillo, Melissa Gilbert, and Freddy the Frog.

First row: Demi Grant, Reanna Zappavigna, Kayela Turner, Ashleigh Crossman
Second row: Nakasha Richardson, Jessica Paquette, Cara Wheeler, Hannah Gulla, Jena Mattie
Third row: Shiana Hernandez, Nicole Anken, Emily Mumpton
Fourth row: Lloyd Parkmond, Wilfredo Huembes, Brandyn Jaynes
Missing from photo: Katrina Brodock

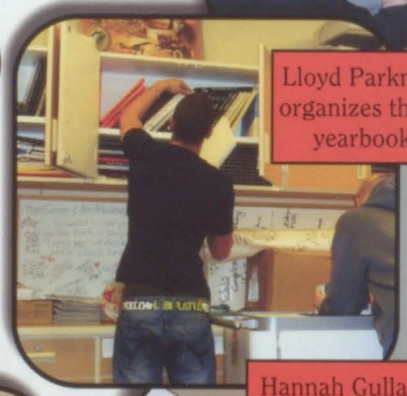


Mr. Maitland advises Ashleigh Crossman on the page she is working on.

Editor in Chief, Melissa Gilbert and Wilfredo Huembes smile for the mac camera.

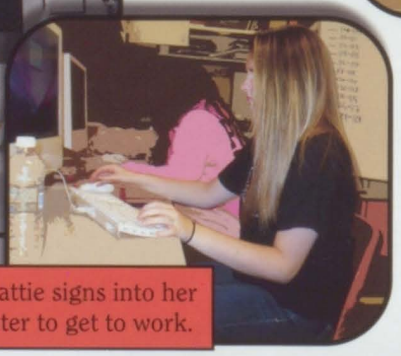


Mackenzie Redmond puts some deep thought into her work.

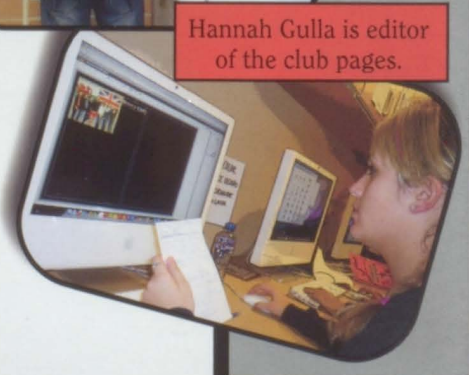


Lloyd Parkmond organizes the old yearbooks.

Reanna Zappavigna is hard at work while Mike Paolillo is astounded by his computer.



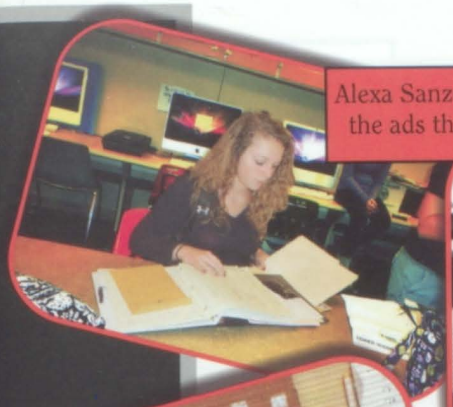
Jena Mattie signs into her computer to get to work.



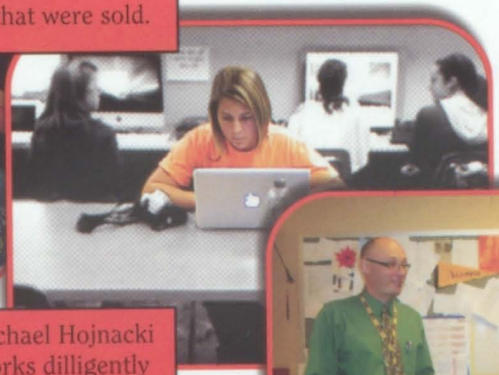
Hannah Gulla is editor of the club pages.



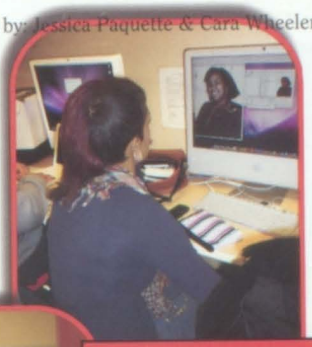
Created by: Cara Wheeler & Jessica Paquette



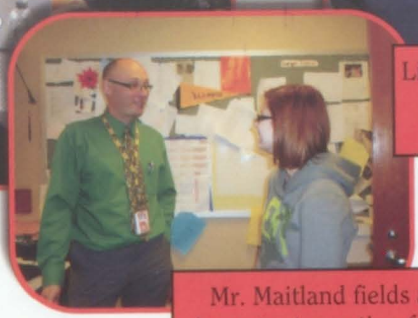
Alexa Sanzone organizes the ads that were sold.



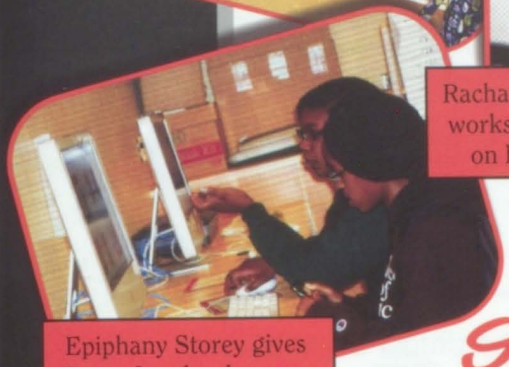
Rachael Hojnacki works dilligently on her page.



Liz Gleasman has an eye for editing photos.

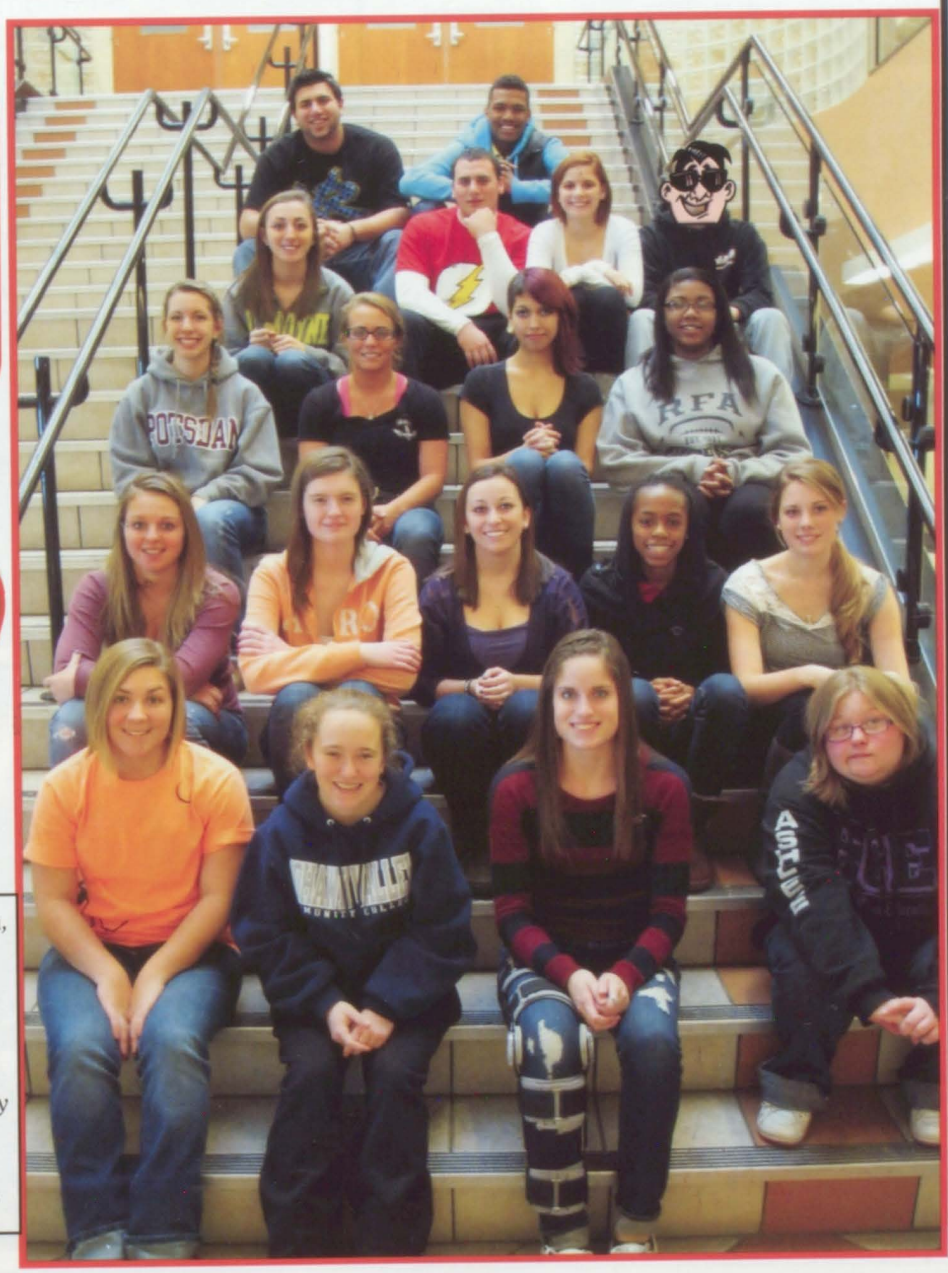


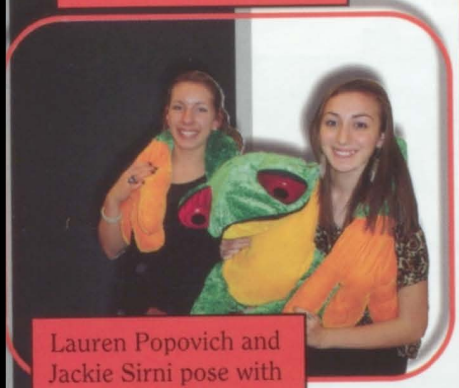
Mr. Maitland fields an important question from Tiffany Mumpton.



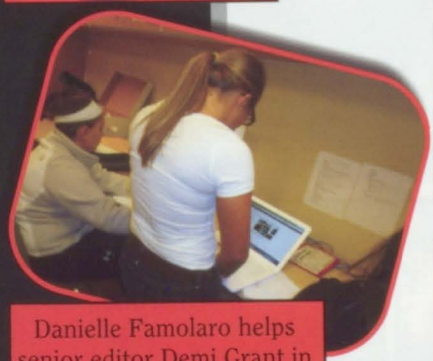
Epiphany Storey gives Tanya Lombardo some advice on page editing.

## 9th Period





Lauren Popovich and Jackie Sirni pose with Freddy the Frog.



Danielle Famolaro helps senior editor Demi Grant in placing the senior pictures.

First Row: Rachael Hojnacki, Jessie Flaim, Courtney Wheeler, Ashlee Manna
Second Row: Alexa Sanzone, Lauren Keaney, Tanner Harding, Tanya Lombardo, Abby Gray
Third Row: Lauren Popovich, Danielle Famolaro, Liz Gleasman, Epiphany Storey
Fourth Row: Jackie Sirni, Jake Gosier, Tiffany Mumpton
Fifth Row: Mike Grider, Marcus Campos

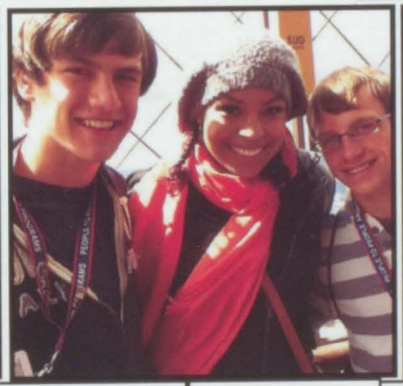
# From Rome To ROMA

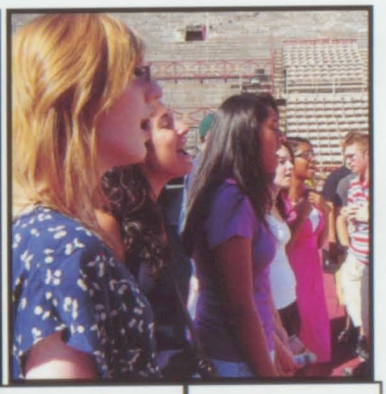
Rome Free Academy's choir students were granted the opportunity to take a trip to Europe and become student ambassadors for the summer. Working with People to People, these 14 students spent their summer touring Italy, Austria, Switzerland, and France. Little did they all know they would be going to Europe with pop music sensation Jordin Sparks. In Italy, the kids got to stay with different families and experience their life styles. Some of the kids got to go to the lake, go boating, rock climbing, and hiking. While in Europe the students still got to perform, some even assisting Miss Jordin Sparks while she sang. The overall experience was incredible. The students want to thank People To People for everything they did for them. A big thank you to Mrs. Edwards for everything she did as well. This was a memorable summer for these students, one that will always be close to them.

## Jump for Joy!

While taking a quick trip through Paris, France, the kids took a mighty jump in front of the Eiffel Tower. 1,2,3, **JUMP**!

T. Draper, D. Sexton, K. Dombroski, Z. Linderman, D. Goewey, C. Hughes, A. Barrios, M. Tamburrino, C. Bovi, Q. Holmes, L. Sylvester, L. Bartlett, A. Morris, T. Flemming.





**Sight seeing:** Adventuring around Italy and it's sights.

**Palazzo Vecchio:** An old monument in Florence, Italy.

**I present you with:** Quiana Holmes presents Jordin Sparks with an RFA music shirt.

**Leaning Tower of Pisa:** The Leaning Tower Of Pisa at it's finest.

**Scavenger hunt Fun:** Andre Barrios, Mike Tamburrino, Carly Bovi, Zack Linderman, and Derek Sexton win the scavenger hunt!

**Eiffel Tower Posers:** Dan Goewey, Jordin Sparks, and Tommy Flemmimg stop to take a picture on the top of the Eiffel Tower.

**Up on the Roof Top...** An overlook of ancient houses.

**Just keep Singing:** Liz Sylvester and classmates sing inside the coliseum

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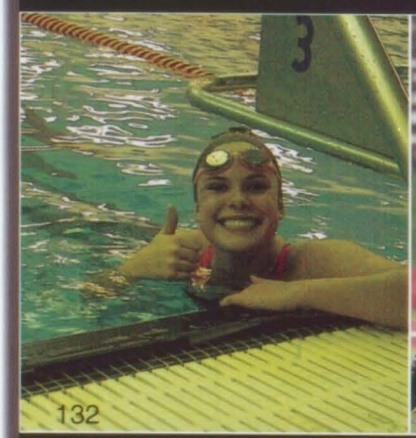
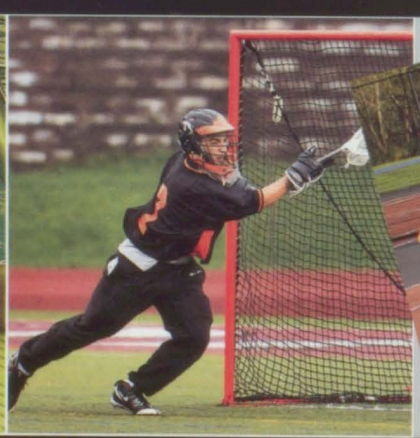
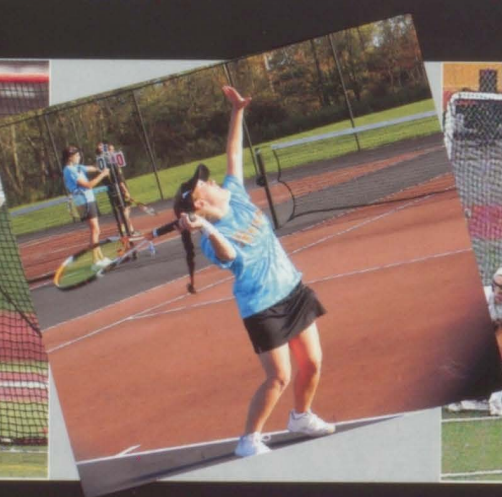
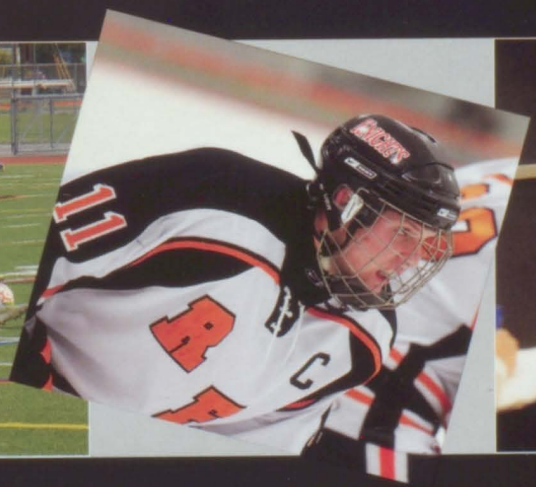


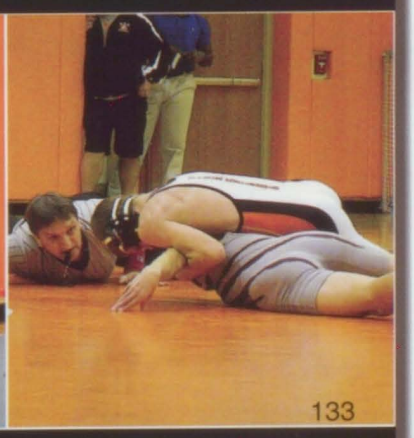





# Knights & Athletics

There has always been a spotlight on athletics here at RFA, from football to golf our athletes are held to the highest of standards. It is with our brilliant blend of an exceptional coaching staff, supportive friends, families and extremely spirited fans that we here at RFA are able to keep our esteemed pride, honor and tradition alive through sports. As the years pass on and we witness the growth and change of our peers and of our community, RFA sports are the one factor that seem to remain timeless. You're never too old or too young to pick up a baseball glove, or kick a soccer ball. Afterall, regardless of what point you are at in your life, it is certain that nothing is comparable to the feeling of having that orange R on your back.

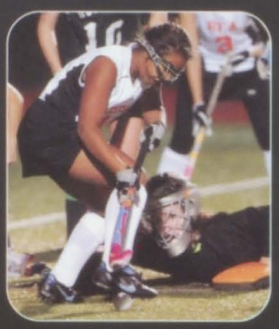




# Girls Field Hockey

**BR:** Coach Ringlund, Lindsay D"Auito, Mckenzie Guy, Mikenna Sochia, Ashley D'Amore, Liz Gleasman, Alicia Swavely, Brianna Coia, Coach Harjung
**MR:** Rachael Hojnacki, Cheyenne Smith, Autumn Swavely, Lindsay Nowicki, Reanna Zappavigna, Sam Grunder, Brittney Liddy
**FR:** Danielle Famolaro, Kaysie Gregory, Alexa Sanzone, Meghan McCormick

Meghan and Alexa celebrate Annika's first goal in sectionals!

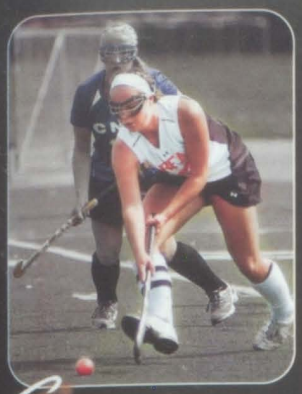


Jeenene Yates dribbles past FMs goalie in route for a goal!

Reanna gets ready for a mouth guard check

## The Lady Knights Play 4 the Cure

BR: Tanya Rodriguez, Akura Ryan, Jenna Deblasiis, Hannah Reilley, Jen Taylor, Alyssa Fazio, Shelby Clark, Coach Murphy
MR: Avery Jones, Jeneene Yates, Veronica Kessler, Paula Amo, Rachael Geary, Sarah Sciorilli, Jackie Ackerman, Sam Dart
FR: Megan Pritchard, Karle Serrano, Annika Guiliano

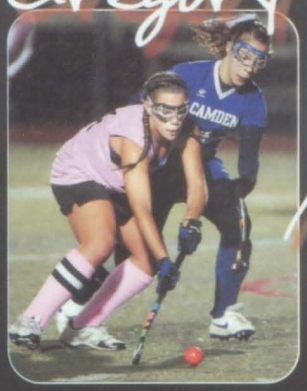


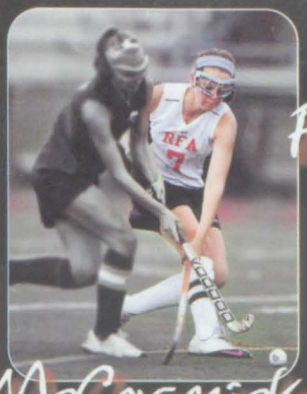
Sanzone

Alexa dribbles past the opposing team

Kaysie pushes through the North Stars

Gregory



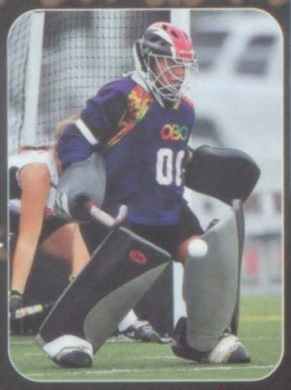


McCormick

Meghan holds up the the back field with a jab

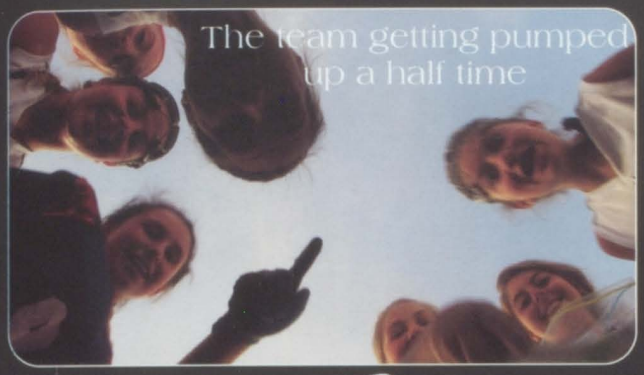
Danielle swats the ball with her blocker

Famdoro



RingTung

The coaches collaborate before calling a time out



The team getting pumped up a half time

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With a very young team the Lady Knights began their season with a bit of uncertainty as to how well they would do this season as compared to the successful years of the past. The team though did indeed prove that age and experience does not necessarily determine the success of a team. Taking it one game at a time, the Lady Knights went on to establish a very pleasing record and even went on to compete in the sectional finals for the third consecutive year. The Lady Knights set the precedent this year that anything is possible, and that precedent will indeed be carried on to the many more successful years that are coming ahead for this very talented group of girls.

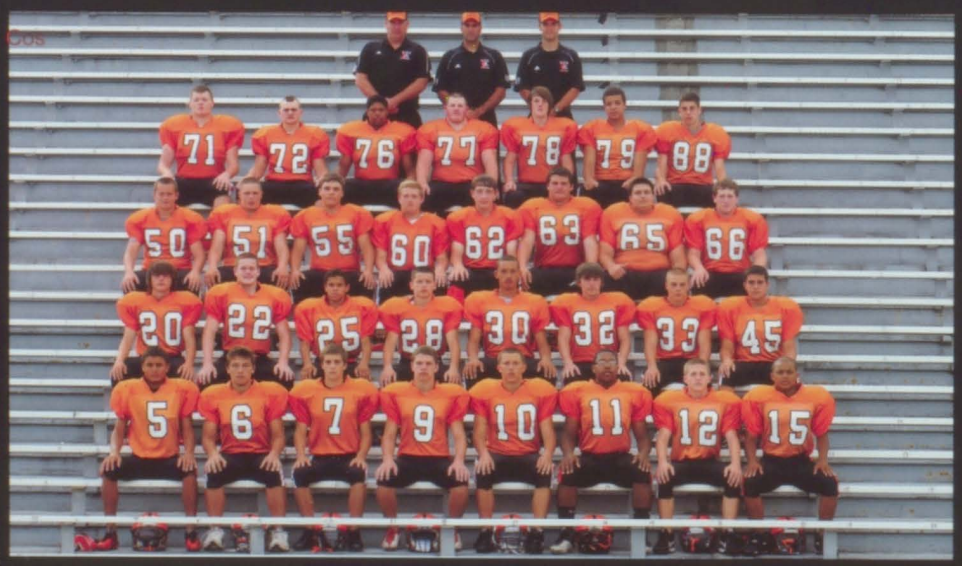
## Score Box

| | RFA | THEM |
|---|---|---|
| FM | 3 | 0 |
| Homer | 9 | 0 |
| Liverpool | 1 | 2 |
| CNS | 3 | 0 |
| Auburn | 2 | 0 |
| Bville | 2 | 0 |
| Camden | 2 | 2 |
| New Hartford | 5 | 0 |
| Liverpool | 2 | 2 |
| Auburn | 6 | 0 |
| FM | 1 | 0 |
| Camden | 1 | 0 |
| Bville | 2 | 0 |
| CNS | 0 | 3 |
| Whitesboro | 6 | 0 |
| FM * | 4 | 1 |
| Liverpool * | 2 | 1 |

Seniors

# RFA Football

1st: Rocky Caponi, Dylan Thomas, Matt Adamik, Zack Barrigar, Dylan Cadrette, Aaron Tenant, Scott Kimmel, Angus Evans, Rich Stapleton
2nd: Manuel Zegarelli, Julius Berry, Anthony Capron, Brett Mckinney, Jack Rotolo, Nico Cheri, Nick Sweeney, John Allen
3rd: Geo Brown, Eddie Campos, Kashaun Cyrus, Robert Fragapane, Drew Deblasiis, Anthony Madeira, Jacob Gosier, Erik Sweeney
4th: Tim Hall, Gabe Acevedo, Sonny Caruso, Mike Grider, Oliver Froelich, Mike Kobito, Robert Alder, John Bendall
5th: Alex Todd, Tyler Larkin, Zack Thomason, Ben Becker, Josh Reed, Hazen Hinman, Joel Wendt



1st: Eddie Campos, Tyler Benedict, Joey Campbell, Dylan Cadrette, Kevin Davis, Kashaun Cyrus, James Redpath, Julius Berry
2nd: John Michael Leonard, Anthony Capron, Brian Slaughter, Collin Newman, Christian Redus, Jeremi Briggs, Joseph Stapleton, Zach Cortese
3rd: Stanley Shaffer, Deric Tuthill, Brett Barnes, Josh Deeley, Ray Banks, Billy Dipaolo, Gio Caruso, Pete Mastracco
4th: Pat Haugen, Oli Froelic, Xavier Malone, Ben Becker, Eric Colvin, Eli Smalls, Nick Nardslico.

Richard Stapleton, diving into the endzone,helps his team defeat Proctor.

Rj Fragapane and Joel Wendt tackle Procters offensive player.

Jack Rotolo scoops up the fumble,dropped by the Proctor player

**RFA Football**, A pastime that has taken place in Rome for years, stands for Pride and Tradition. RFA football has always been supported by players, coaches, friends, and family. Although every season doesn't go the way you'd wish, the big picture is the relationship and the brotherhood you build with your team and coaches. Take this season for instance. We didn't meet the standards we held so high for oursleves, but did do one thing we all wanted. The biggest accomplishment this year was defeating Proctor. It is the 6th oldest rivalry in the nation, and RFA beat them 24-21. It was one of our team's highest moments this past year. The idea that the team took from this year was to move on from our losses; and realize the friendships and eternal bond we've created. We could keep this with us far beyond graduation and well into life .

# *Boys* **Soccer**

Top Row: (From Left) Coach Reese, Mark Fanelli, Tyler Williams, Kyle Dombrowski, Sebastian Domenico, Curtis Wilhelmsen, Spencer Kahler

Middle: Tyler Bivona, Jake Pohl, Paul Chilkotowsky, Kyle Baker, Josh Metzger, Michael Jensen, Michael Mellace, Acelle Rando

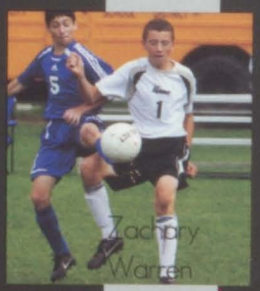
Bottom Row: Tommy Amuso, Jake Gulla, Josh Mazzaferro, Dylan Sbarglia, Sawyer Razy, Randy Linderman

Back Row: (From Left) Daygan Hughes, Matthew Smith, Jonathan Entelisano, Derek Wenndt, Keegan Richie, Leroy Brown, Mike Mahl, Evan Griffith, Zach Gleasman,

Front Row: Bruce Entelisano, Matt Miller, Rowe Wheeler, Erich Metzger, Zack Warren, David Deeley, Zach Linderman, Jared Smaldon, Tavin Hunziker, Tyler Marshall

Daygan Hughes

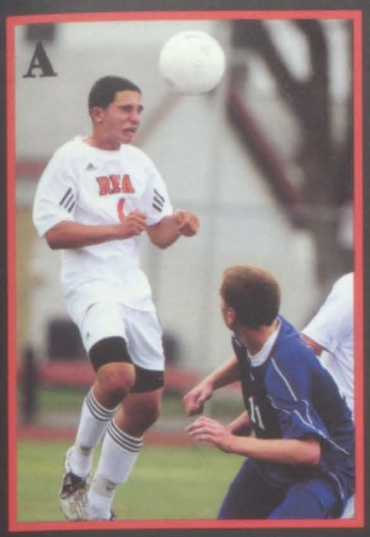
Michael Mellace

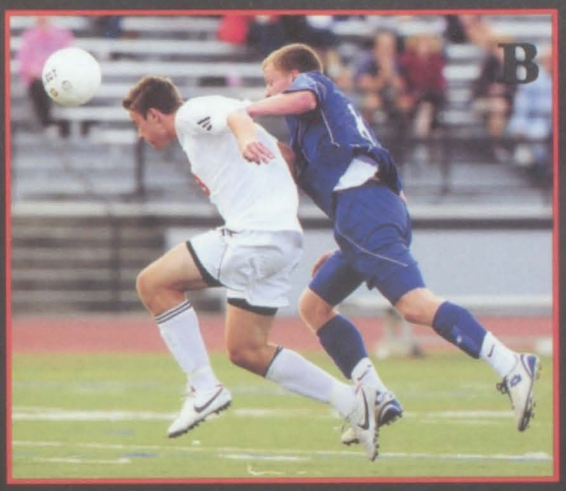


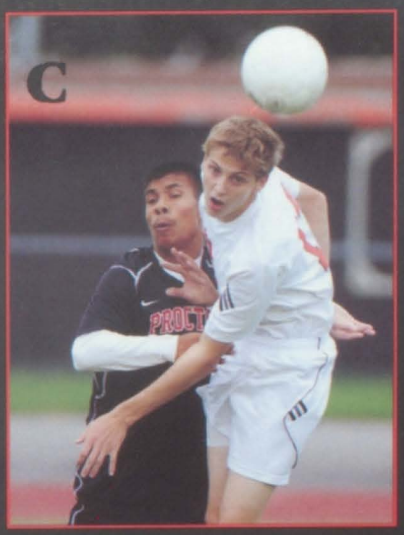
Zachary Warren

Tyler Bivona

Kyle Dombrowski



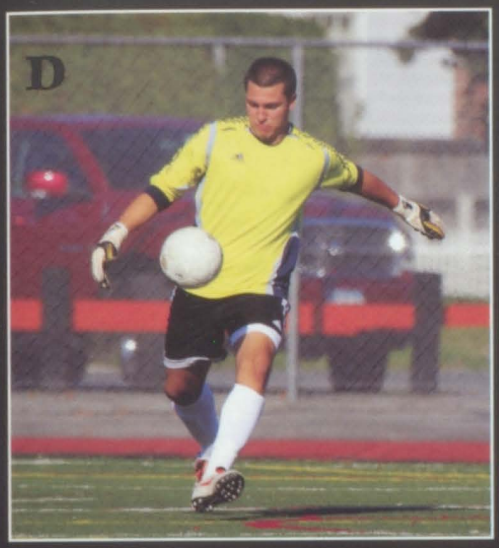




A: Senior Tommy Amuso scares away the opponent.

B: Senior Dylan Sbarglia powers past the other player.

C: Senior Sawyer Razy heads the ball away from Proctor.

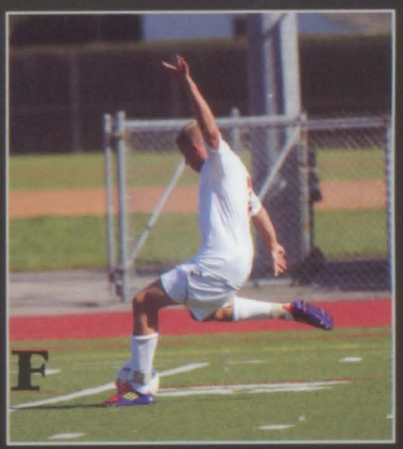



D: Junior Spencer Kahler gets ready to punt the ball.

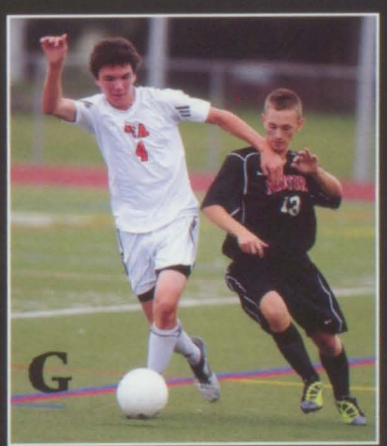
E: Junior Jake Pohl celebrates his team's victory against Proctor, while Sophomore Kyle Baker runs on.

F: Sophomore Kyle Baker winds up for a kick.

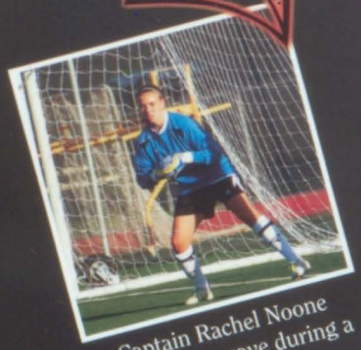
G: Junior Sebastian Domenico battles for the ball against Proctor.



Senior Jake Gulla heads the ball away from the other team



# Girls Soccer



Captain Rachel Noone anticipates a save during a sunny fall day.

## Varsity

Back Row: Coach Tagliaferri, Alexis Marineau, Vita Puma, Halie Schoff, Krista Anken, Megan O'Connell, Jessica Gallagher, Alicia Whittman, Josie Emmanuele, Haleigh Cavalier, Kayli Smith, and Courtney Wheeler.
Front Row: Mariah Johnson, Elena Gualtieri, Sheila Olney, Alessandra Johnson, Rachel Noone, Jenna Gillen, Marisa Castro, and Samantha Lopez.

Gianna Pasqualetti wins the ball in the offensive end against Baldwinsville.

The Lady Knights encourage each other with a mindset of winning before a game against C-Square.

Everyone huddles together to take a team shot after a senior day victory.

JV listens on to Coach Hall before the starting whistle of their game.

Brooke Miller breaks away from her opponent.

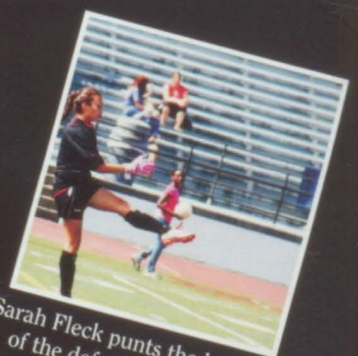
Captain Courtney Wheeler takes a shot on goal during senior day against Camden.

Lyndon Hall controls the ball against a sunny fall day against foe Baldwinsville.

Megan O'Connell controls the ball while she takes it up the field.

## Junior Varsity

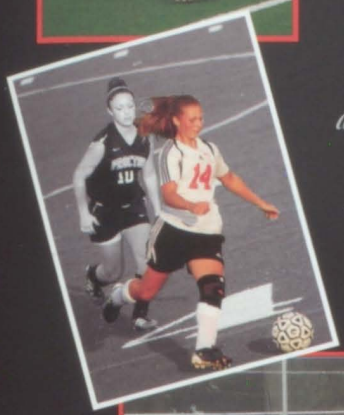
Back Row: Amy Fleck, Mariah Mays, Hannah Uvanni, Jennifer Tasco, Sarah Fleck, Carly McCoy, Alexandra Kimmel, Kati Gotch, Gianna Pasqualetti, and Coach Hall.
Front Row: Catherine Rood, Jamilla Taylor, McKenzie Smith, Leighann Powonsky, Lyndon Hall, Linda Martin, Montana Sochia, Emily Beach, Brooke Miller, and Abigail Janes.



Sarah Fleck punts the ball out of the defensive end after saving a shot.

# 9-8-1

*With a winning record, the* **Varsity Girls Soccer** *team has made it into the history book for being one of three teams in winning the first round of sectionals. They shut out Oswego with a 4-0 win in the first round where their offense was on fire and their defense and goal keeper Rachel Noone controlled the opposing team's attack. The team then moved on to the second round against second sceded Baldwinsville, where they played a tough game in nippy, winter weather where they lost, but kept their heads high knowing they made it farther than many of the past teams. Along with the good, the team faced troubling obstacles and bad luck when during many of the games they only had atmost three subs because injuries overtook the team.* **Memories** *from this season will carry on in every single team member and probably will be remembered as the closest bonded team. They rofled, talked to Barbara, took care of Wilma, and will cherish Kayli and Bubba forever.*



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| Clinton | W 3-2 |
| CNS | T 1-1 |
| C-Square | W 1-0 |
| Oswego | W 2-1,4-0 |
| Proctor | W 5-0,6-0 |
| Camden | W 3-1 |
| Auburn | W 1-0 |
| Syracuse | W 6-0 |

## Senior Memories:

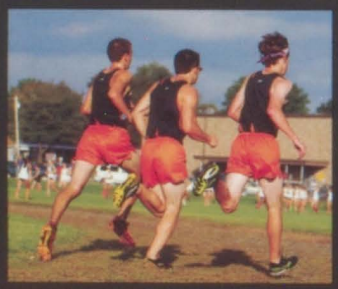
**Rachel Noone**: Saving a penalty kick against one of Baldwinsville's top scorers with a sprained thumb.
**Courtney Wheeler**: Assisting on two out of the four goals in the first round of sectionals.
**Samantha Lopez**: Winning the first sectional game against Oswego after having very close losses to them in the past.
**Jenna Gillen**: Watching the team get to the second round of sectionals, rooting them on from the sidelines in a wheelchair.
**Halie Schoff**: The bond and closeness everyone had with each other, knowing it will continue on.
**Megan O'Connell**: Going to Wegmans after the West Genny game for team bonding and dinner.

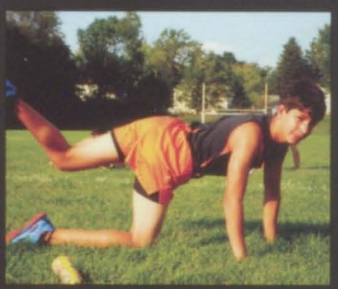
# Boys Cross Country

*The RFA boys cross country team was filled with not only experienced runners, but some first timers as well. They had a very close and dedicated team who had an excellent season record of 5-1 and sent 10 phenomenal runners to the 2011 sectional meet.*

Daniel Goewey and Kyle Coia show their enthusiasm before the race to pump up their teammates.

Leonard Benedetto, Joseph Domizio and Alexander Ackerman work together as a team.

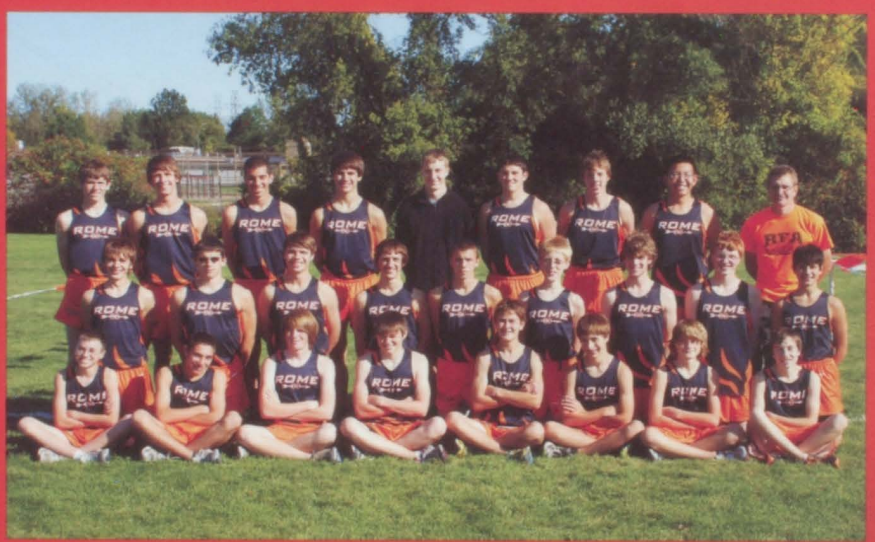




Bottom: Alexander Makley, Alexander Ackerman, Travis Murphy, Joshua Lopez, Andy Jeselson, Joseph Pocchiari, Colin Shean, Joseph Domizio

Middle: Benjamin Schmidt, Jeffery Brown, Thomas Hawkins, Joesph Tripps, Matthew Silver, Robert Draper, Louis Green, Michael Boardman

Top: Connor Butters, Jonathan Swancott, Leonard Benedetto, Daniel Goewey, Jonathan Wood, Kyle Coia, Erik Winberg, Barry Li, Coach Knamm

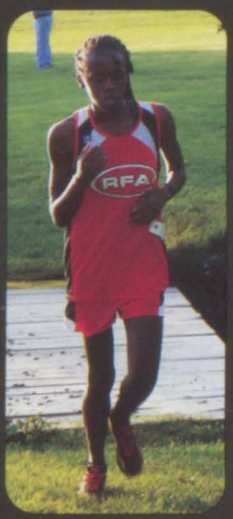


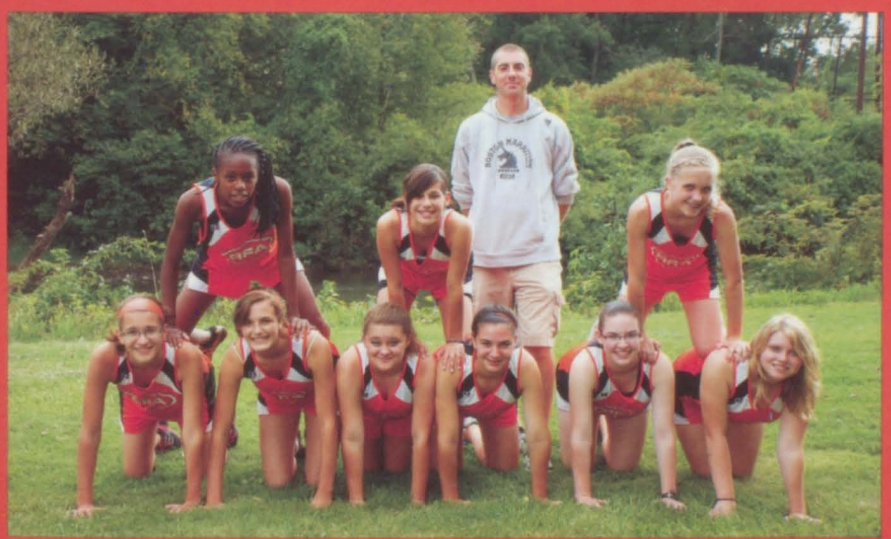
# Girls Cross Country

*The RFA girls cross country team consists of nine dedicated runners who worked hard everyday to achieve a winning season. They ended with a record of 2-3. They also sent six of their outstanding runners to the 2011 sectional meet.*

Brianna Weir pushes her way towards the finish line to beat her latest time.

Tanya Lombardo strives for greatness to get her personal record.





Bottom: Jenna Kiskiel, Charley Sciorilli, Emily Whaley, Tricia Loso, Brianna Weir, Sierra Rathbun

Top: Tanya Lombardo, Alyson Butters, Coach Downs, Aleigha Hawkins

Missing: Abigail Gray

# Girls Varsity Swim

Back Row: Cassidy Metott, Samantha Goodman, Emily Tardugno, Ashley Eadline, Stephanie Dibert, Jaime Rolf, Cassidy Welfel, Andrea Barrios

Middle Row: Alexia Gualtieri, Samantha LaGasse, Teira Hawkins, Kaylee Sharp, Christina Hernandez, Sarah Canarelli, Madison Tikalsky, Reagan Lawton

Front Row: Jasmine Meerdink, Whitney Stevens, Mackenzie Welch, Hannah Premo, Amy Marcoccia, Emily Canarelli, Morgan Mack, Connie Trips

**Captains: Ashley Eadline and Stephanie Dibert**

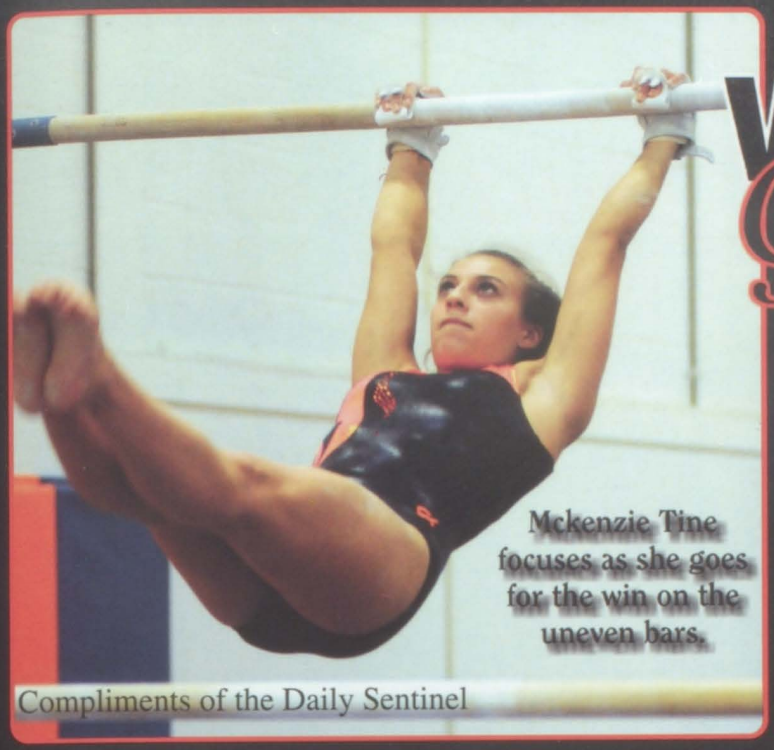
**Middle Left:** Connie Trips gets ready to swim her fastest!

**Middle:** Stephanie Dibert is about to take a plunge into the deep end.

**Middle Right:** Samantha Goodman finishes first for the 500 freestyle.

Mackenzie Welch tells Whitney Stevens the time that she needs to beat in order to qualify for sectionals.

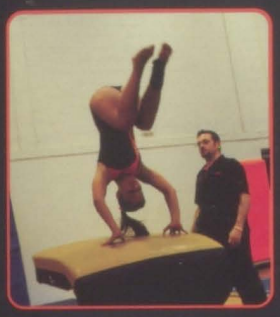
# Varsity Gymnastics



Mckenzie Tine focuses as she goes for the win on the uneven bars.

Compliments of the Daily Sentinel

*The Gymnastic team finished their season with a positive record of 3 wins and 1 loss. Each person on the team contributed to the high scoring meets they won. Two of their athletes continued on to sectionals; Mckenzie Tine and Jenna Zakala. Even though they are a very young team, they will grow and succeed even more in the future seasons to come.*



Alex Samuels vaults in a home meet while Coach Perron looks on.

Gabrielle Carter focuses on her hand stand in her floor routine.

Dana Glantz does a move on the balance beam.

Lauren Impicciatore focuses on staying on the uneven bar.

Alaina Johnson handstands on the balance beam.

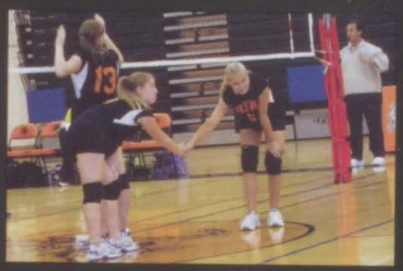
Jenna Zakala swings into a move on the uneven bar.

1st Row: Gabrielle Carter, Madelyn Carambia, Lauren Impicciatore, Alaina Johnson, Sara Ng, and Coach Kevin Perron
2nd Row: Dana Glantz, Tiffany Thomason, Alex Samuels, Riley Lawton, Chelsea Wishart, Taylor Whooten
3rd Row: Mckenzie Tine, Geriva Edwards, Allyson Falcone
4th Row: Jenna Zakala

Dana Glantz sticks the landing during her floor routine.

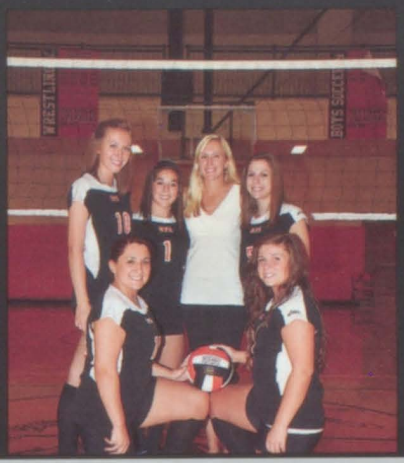
# Volleyball

Back row: Kelsi Sanzone, Mia Rondinelli, Erika Vaughn, Rachel Quintan, Brianna Scales, Marie Veschusio, Coach Cupp
Front row: Jordan Solomon, Cassidy Clark , Bryn Bielby
Captains: Lindsey Bartlett, Jen Decker, MaryKay Pruckno



Back row: Kayela Turner, Katana Russitano, Yakria Hutchinson, Amanda Kekic, Kelsey Nash, Megan Vescuchio, Coach Christofaro
Front row: Kaleigh Kenealy, Adriana Potter, Sarah Smith,
Captains: Kayla Morgan, Sydney Perry, Kaitlin Dombrowski

*R.F.A volleyball had a good season. Even though losing alot of games they still tried and stayed as a team working together. The R.F.A volleyball girls put alot of dedication and effort trying to win everygame. They would have fun practices but also very harsh ones. Bus rides were always fun as long as Mia was on the bus. It was not always about winning ,but the seniors will be greatly missed.*



Coach Cupp with the seniors Jen Decker, Erika Vaughn, MaryKay Pruckno, Kelsi Sanzone, and Mia Rondinelli

# Girls Tennis

Back Row: Coach Gaesser, A. Bravo, E. Peters, E. Closinski, M. Kobitio, L. Iacovissi, H. Hash, G. O'Connor, K. Ciaccia, A. Morris, C. Herber, J. Millner, E. Norman, Coach Winnicki. Front Row: E. Mumpton, A. Cavalier, N. Anken, J. General, J. Flaim, S. Luczak, J. Mattie, and N. Campbell.

The RFA girls tennis team had their best record in years with a record of 9-6. This was also the first time in years that the girls went to sectionals. The captains that made this year great was Jessie Flaim, Jordan General, and Sara Luczak.

Captions:
From top left: S.Luczak, M. Kobitio and K. Serra, Captains J.General, S.Luczak, and J.Flaim. K. Ciaccia, A.Morris, L.Iacovissi, J.Flaim, J.Millner, H.Hash, and G. O'Connor. L. Iacovissi. Top right circle: J.Millner, E.Norman, N.Anken. L.Iacovissi, K.Ciaccia, A.Morris, and J.Flaim

# Boys Swim

Taking a break from practice to have fun while taking under-water pictures.

Joey Mastraccio breast strokes his way to the finish.

Back Row: Andy Jeselson, Zachary Linderman, Kyle Dombrowski, Kyle Bojanek, Alex Singletary, Michael Bailey, Todd Pawlikowski, Joe Trips, Tavin Hunziker
Middle Row: Tom Hawkins, John Marchesane, Adam Noyes, Zach Warren, Zach Tallarino, Ankur Desai,Kyle Coia, Kyle Feldman, Derek Feole
Front Row: Alex Brement, Tommy Warcup, Joey Mastraccio, Dennis Drake

A swimmer races to the finish line during the butterfly.

John Marchesane comes up for some air during his race.

A diver is scored for his form by the judges.

*The Boy's Swimming and Diving team had a very successful season under the coaching of Mr. Connery. They finished the season with a positive record of 5 wins and 4 losses. Nine of their swimmers and divers went on to Sectionals. They were Alex Singletary, Michael Bailey, Adam Noyes, Alex Brement, Tom Hawkins, Kyle Dombrowski, Kyle Coia, Tommy Warcup, and Kyle Feldman.*

Adam Noyes finishes up in the butterfly race.

A free-styler takes a breath of fresh air.

Zach Linderman focuses on his backstroke in a meet.

Captains: Adam Noyes, Joey Mastraccio, and Alex Brement

Adam Noyes encourages John Marchesane after he finished his race.

# Girls Basketball

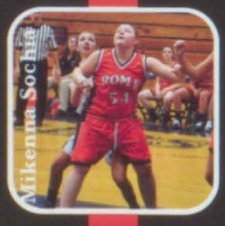
Alana Quance

Ashley D'Amore

Mckenzie Guy

Jordynn Varano

Tanya Lombardo

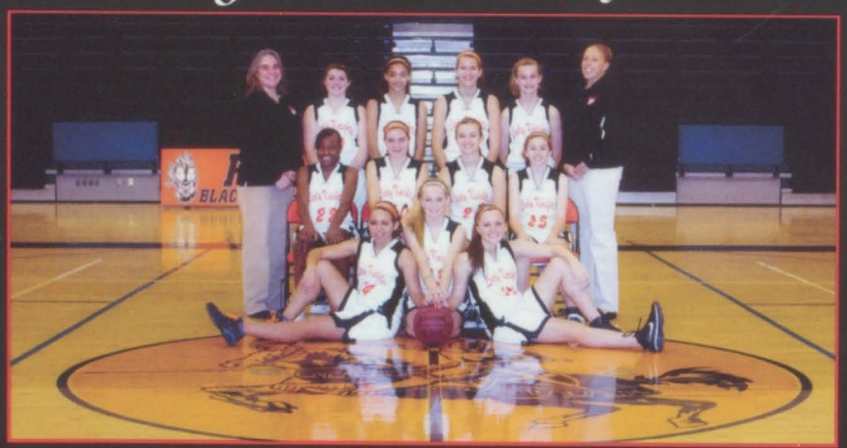

Mikenna Sochia

## Varsity

Back Row: Coach Julie Ramos, Ashley D'Amore, Jordan General, Jordynn Varano, Krista Anken, Mikenna Sochia, Coach Jason Rutherford

Front Row: Tanya Lombardo, Courtney Tasco, Jamie Marcinkowski, Lindsey Gates, Alana Quance, Mckenzie Guy, Kayli Smith

## Junior Varsity

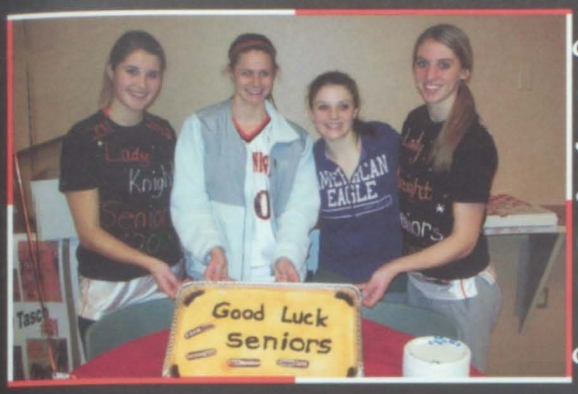


Back Row: Coach Alissa Tuthill, Brianna Coia, Teresa Anken, Jenna Kiskiel, Kati Gotch, Coach Diane Roberts

Middle Row: Jamila Taylor, Tricia Loso, Morgan Murphy, Montana Sochia

Front Row: Jasmine Millner, Mckenzie Smith, Holly Hash

Missing: Megan Veschusio




# SENIORS

Left to Right: Courtney Tasco (Captain), Lindsey Gates (Captain), Alana Quance, Jamie Marcinkowski (Captain)

Jamie Marcinkowski

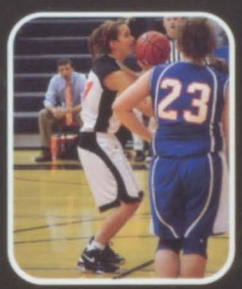
Kayli Smith

Jordan General

Krista Anken

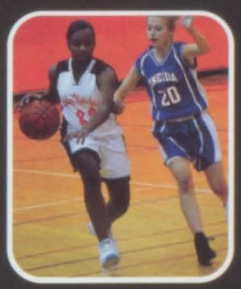
The RFA Lady Knights Basketball Team returned to the Tri-Valley league this season. The season had its up and downs, as the Lady Knights finished 9-11 after losing to a powerful CNS team, in the sectional quarterfinals. Along the way the team had a number of highlights and showed steady improvement, playing perhaps their best game in a sectional victory over Nottingham in the lst round of the playoffs. Another highpoint in the season came over X-mas break as the Lady Knights took 1st place in the annual Holiday Tournament. The team will graduate four seniors, who will be sorley missed, however eight juniors return and they look to get contribution from players moving up from the Junior Varsity team who had a great season going 16-2 for the year.

Jasmine Millner



Jenna Kiskiel

Teresa Anken



Jamila Taylor

M. Veschusio and B. Coia

Montana Sochia

Returners: Holly Hash, Tricia Loso (Captain), Morgan Murphy (Captain) and Mckenzie Smith

Kati Gotch

Photo Credit: Andy Smith

# Boys Basketball

#Just Hoop

Back Row: Coach Medicis, Jeffery Cooke, Randy Pearson, Elijah Johnson, Spencer Kahler, Robert Swift

Front Row: Austin Welch, Justin Henry, Lloyd Parkmond, Aaron Tennant, Jonathan Griggs, Steve Eychner

Q: What's your definition of teamwork?

A: "Teamwork is when everyone works together, as one, to win."

-Lloyd Parkmond

Q: What's the number one rule of the game?

A: "You only get out as much, as you put in."

-Matt Adamik

Q: What makes a great captain?

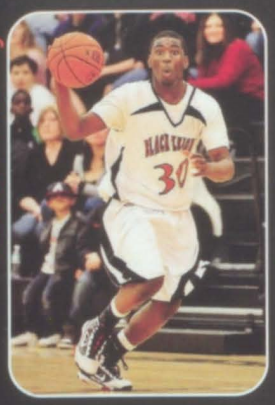
A: "A great captain is someone who puts the team first, and does whatever it takes to better the team."

-Steve Eychner

Back Row: Coach Cooke, Donald Perkins, Matt Adamik, Elijah Smalls, Angus Evans, Alex Taylor

Front Row: Julius Berry, Alex Todd, KaShaun Cyrus, Joey Campbell, Dylan Cadrette, Nathan Rosa, Christian Redus

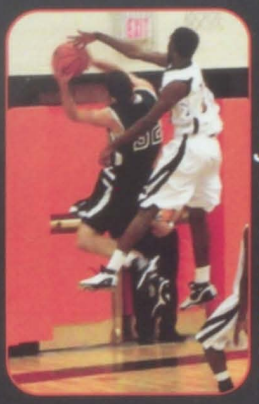
Boys varsity basketball had a strong team lead by a group of very athletic seniors who put their all in this season to make it one of the best ones in years. Captains Steve Eychner and Lloyd Parkmond lead the team to sectionals with a record of 12-6. These boys played incredibly this season, so well that they had the biggest crowds at home games that they've had in years. The seniors will especially be missed and this season will go down in history.



Justin Henry

Aaron Tennant uses his quick feet on defense to protect their record.

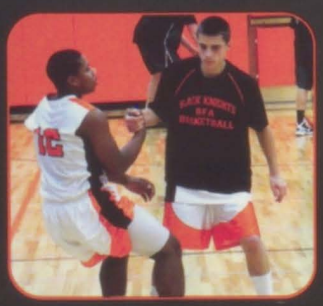
Spencer Kahler hits the foul shot to gain the extra point.



Elijah Johnson

# Teamwork Makes The Dream Work!

Joey Campbell helps his teammate, Kashaun Cyrus, up from his stretches.



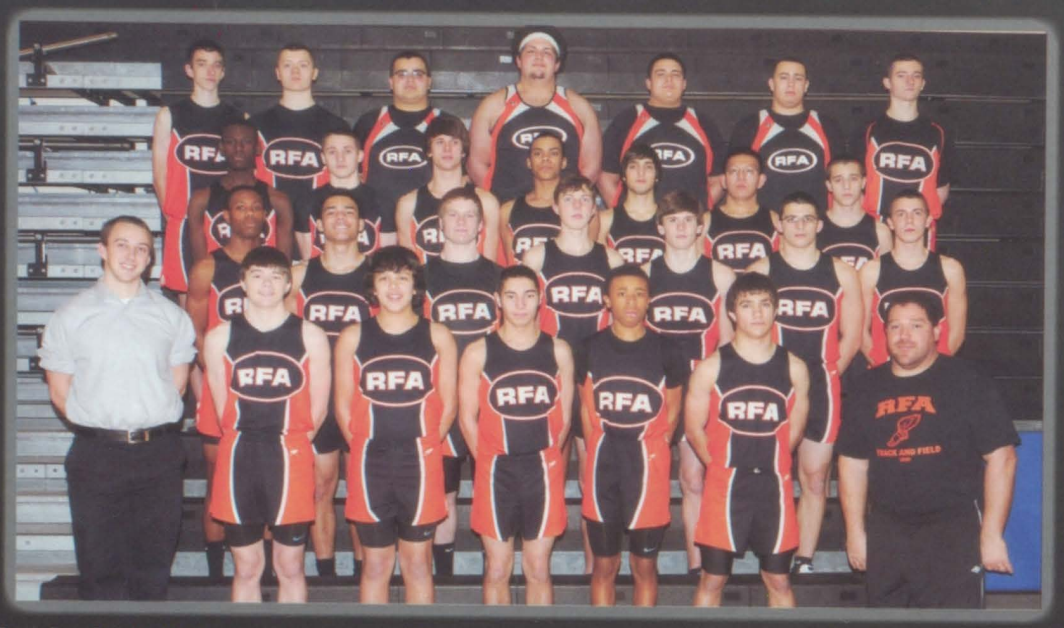
Christian Redus

Dylan Cadrette

Eli Smalls makes big post moves in the paint.

The JV boys basketball team, lead by captains Dylan Cadrette and Matt Adamik, was young team filled with a lot of talent. During the season there were ups and downs but they finished with a record of 9-9, which is something to be proud of. The boys on this team worked hard and gave it 100% every game. The boys are passionate players who grew as a family and played very well together. Their 2011-2012 season will be one that they remember for years to come.

# Indoor Track



1stRow: Sam Shields,Pat Haugen,Gabriel Acevedo,Philip Caruso,Gio Caruso,Robert Alder,John Allen
2ndRow: Leroy Brown,Daniel Patterson, Johnathan Swancott,Ervin McIntyre,Jacob Loson,Barry Li, Michael Brognano, Josh Reed, George Brown, Anthony Capron, Eric Winberg, Connor Butters, Jeff Brown, Matt Silver
3rd Row: Joshua Lopez, Nicholas Proper, Alexander Ackerman, Emmanuele Carter, Nico Cheri

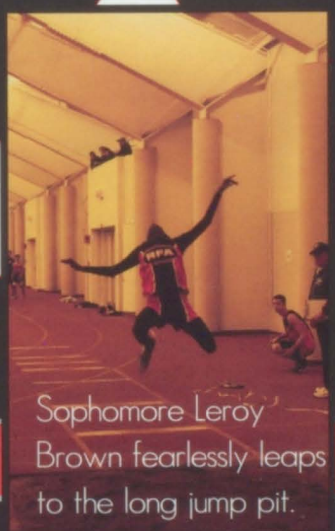
1st Row: Sarah Seedat, Karle Serrano, Hannah Premo, Samantha Washburn , Haleigh Cavalier, BriannaWeir, Mariah Mays, Sam Grunder, Alyssa Christie, Hannah Uvanni, Jenn Tasco, Paula Amo
2nd Row: Megan Pritchard, Amanda Nouvong, Natasha Raffai, Tiera Hawkins, Lauren Felice, Danielle Famolaro, Megan O'Connell, Nicole Anken, Jess Gallagher, Dana Husband, Vita Puma, Alexa Sanzone, Gabrielle Ferrare
3rd Row: Sydney Perry, Jen Taylor, Ashley Jones, Lauren Evans, Samantha Roush, Sierra Rathbun, Megan Dombrowski, Nicole McReynolds, Brittney Liddy, Brandee Townsend
4th Row: Shabria Hoy, Aleigha Hawkins, Jasmine Meerdink, Carly McCoy, Dominique Thomas, Sarah Fleck, Lauren Iacovissi, Marisa Castro, Mariah Johnson, Brett Hawkins

Senior Jeff Brown races to the finish line with impeccable form.

Junior Dana Husband hurdles toward the finish line.

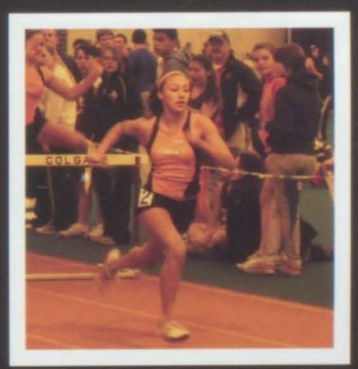
Senior Connor Butters embarks on his journey to win the relay.

The shot-putters huddle together before they perform



Sophomore Leroy Brown fearlessly leaps to the long jump pit.

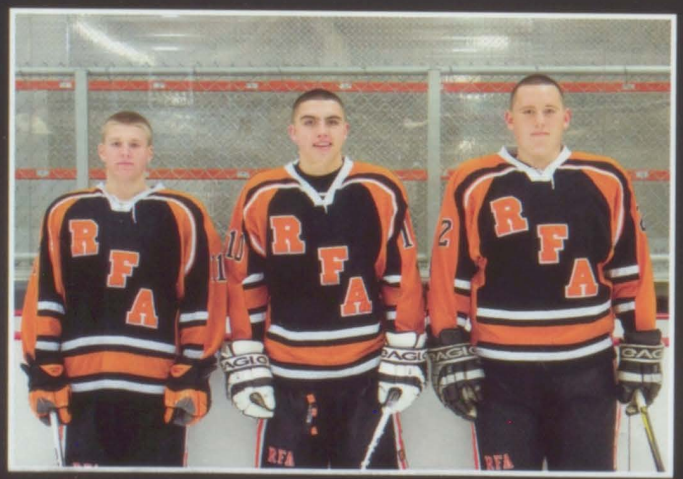
Jake Loson hustles for a big win!



Mariah Johnson returns to running after her success over the hurdles.

# Boys Hockey

**Back Row:** J. Entelisano, Z. Olivas, J. Hussey, K. Richie, N. Nardslico, T. Williams, D. Deblasiis, N. Mecca, M. Davies, J. Rutkowski, P. Mastracco, J. Rutkowski
**Middle Row:** M. Campos, J. Gannon, J. Losowski, M. Seifert, K. Adams, L. Fournier, E. Joyce, T. Nicolaus, N. Bonanza, M. Vacheresse, T. Draper, M. Fanelli, Coach Nowicki
**Front Row:** C. Miller, G. Reilley, R. Reilley, Coach Gzik, Coach Fleet, Coach Cuthbertson, Coach Mastracco, M. Pekarski, R. Linderman, A. Ross



**Senior Captains:**
Mike Pekarski, Garrett Reilley, Ryan Reilley

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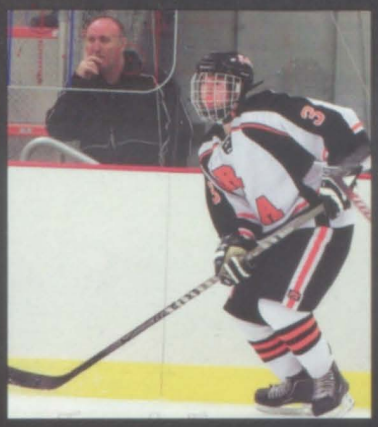
Senior Captain Garrett Reilley carries the puck up the ice.



Senior Eric Joyce awaits a teammate's pass.

Sophomore defenseman Joey Rutkowski joins the play.

Keegan Richie; sophomore foward, rushes up the ice.

The RFA Hockey team had one of their best seasons this year. The boys finished with an overrall record of 21-2, and a perfect league record of 10-0. They are also the Division I East Champions. The team was lead by the strong offensive play of Garrett Reilley and Mike Pekarski. Reilley finished the season with 29 goals, 20 assists, and 49 points in 23 games, while Pekarski finished with 10 goals, 14 assists, for 24 points in 23 games. The team also relied on the strong play of their defense. If teams managed to dry up the offense, and break through the defensemen, goalies Connor Miller and Andrew Ross were there. Miller ended the season with a .919 save percentage and a 1.2 goals allowed against average, Ross had a .916 save percentage and a 1.43 goals allowed against average. The success of the team brought many fans to the arena, which was loud and full every home game.

Three RFA teammates begin a play up ice.

Tyler Williams, Mike Pekarski, and Eric Joyce regroup during a stoppage in play.

Junior Nick Bonanza passes the puck to his teammate.

Junior goaltender Andrew Ross makes a save.

# Wrestling

This years captions were Mike Madonia and Anthony DeLuco. Their overall team record was 4-18. Also Junior Anthony DeLuco made it to States. All in all they tried their best and are still Black Knights either way!

Back Row: Coach Poppers, Anthony Sacco, Francis Flanigan, Robert Fragapane Jr., Alex Martin, Michael Madonia, Robert Alder, Brett Barnes, Coach Soboloski
Middle Row: Mar Htoo, James Redpath, Collin Newman, Antonio Deluco, D'andre` Norman, Joshua Knapp
Front Row: Tim Stouse, Oliver Froelich, Jacob Mahoney

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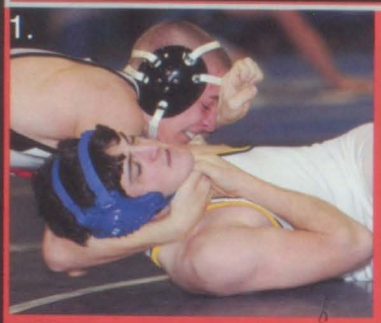

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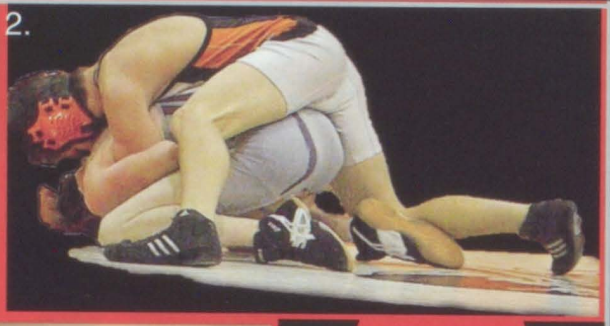

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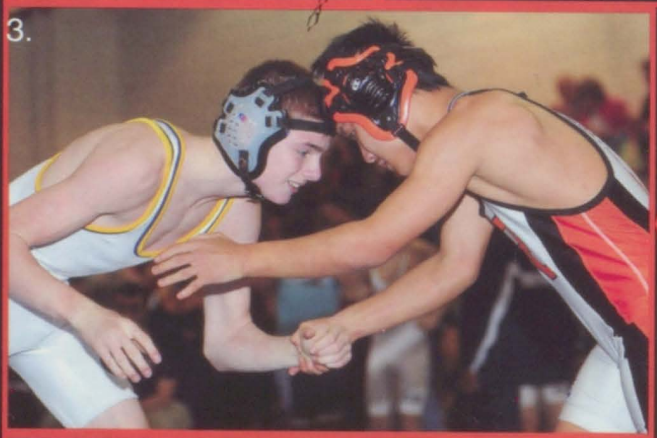

BLACK KNIGHTS

1. James Redpath
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7. Robert Alder

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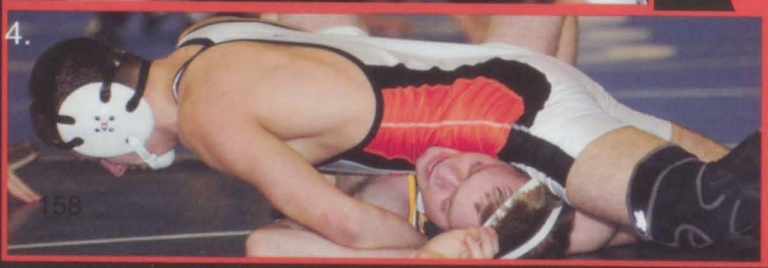

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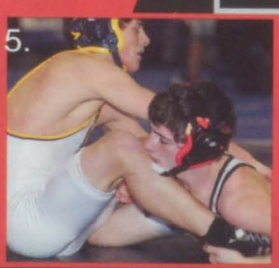

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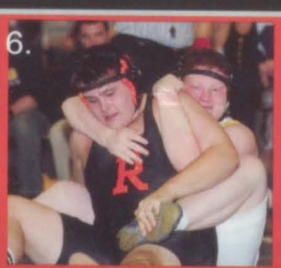

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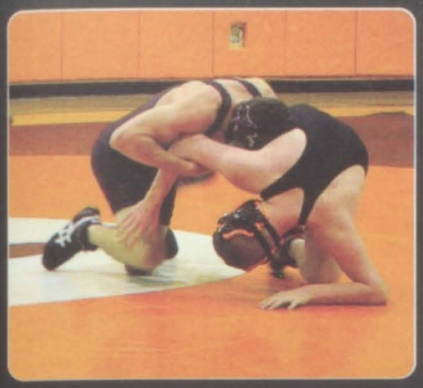
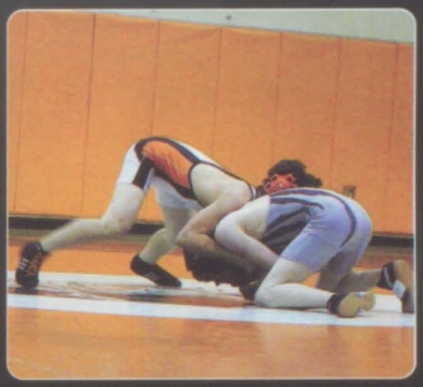
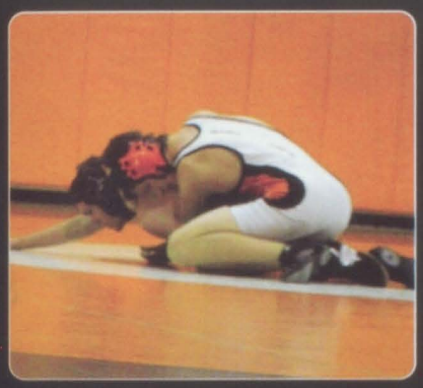


Jacob Mahoney works hard to get his opponent in a position where he can pin him.

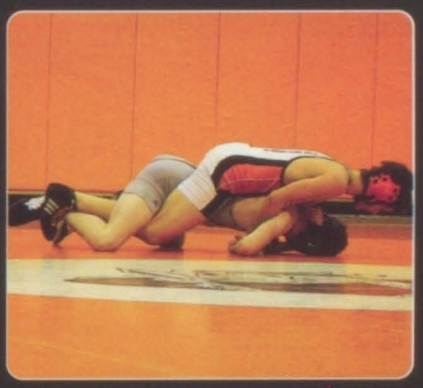
Joshua Knapp gets the advantage against his opponent by getting his head underneath his chest.

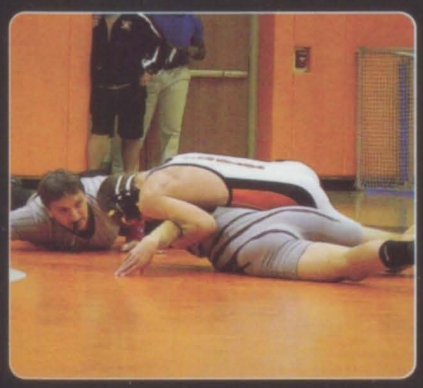




Francis Flanigan attempts to gain points by getting his opponent in an overhook.

Brett Barnes uses his leg power to control his opponents next move.





1...2...3!! Tim Strouse takes a win for the team after pinning his challenger.

# Boys & Girls bowling

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Front (L to R): Derrick Jones, Lucas Falcone, Joey Reno, Josh Whiting Back: Tom Hluska, Derek Wenndt, Joel Wenndt, Johnny Iacone, Kyle Snell, Logan Falcone, Coach Dave

Cassandra Cronizer

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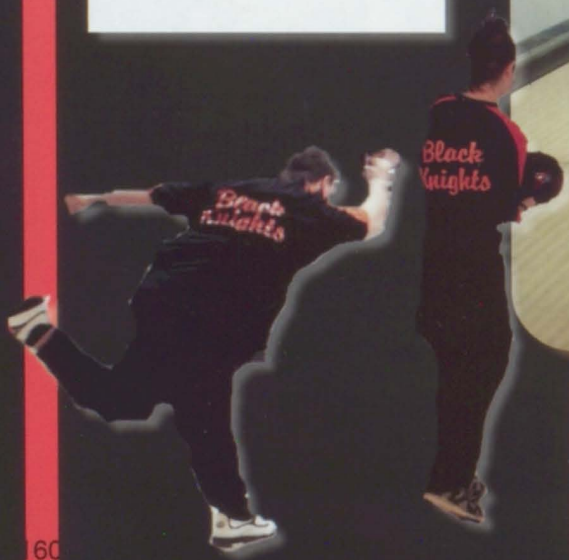
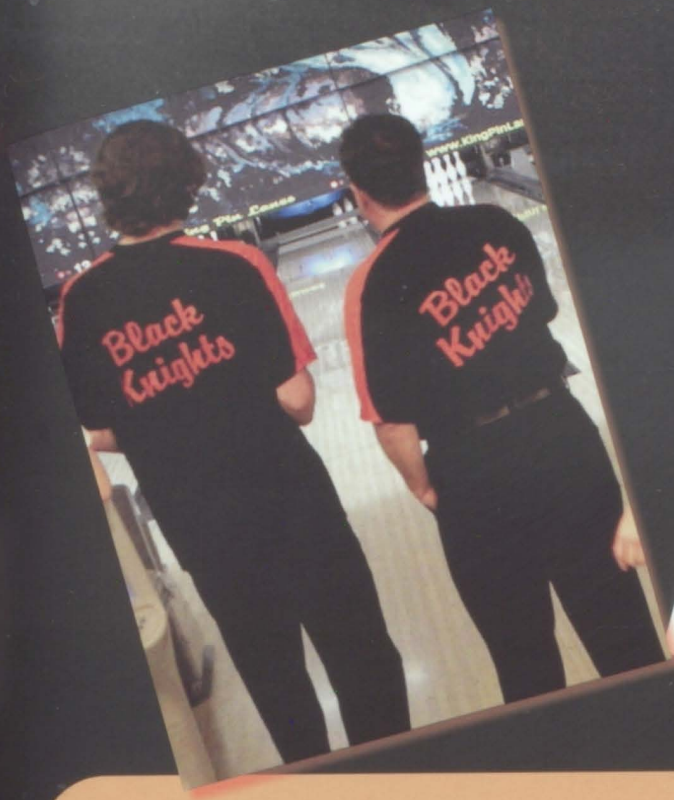



Front (L to R): Rebekah Lubey, Liv Deraway. Back: Alexandria LoGiudice, Megan Durgan, Claire Kondella, Cassandra Cronizer, Korena Kinney, Alexia Gualtieri, Courteney Fiorenza



The girls and boys bowling team bowl at king pin lanes. Whether they're getting gutters or strikes, they all still know how to have fun. Both the girls and boys team sent one person each to the state bowling meet on March 4th this year. They sent freshman Korena Kinney and junior Tom Hluska to represent the black knights. "Knocking down pins is our game, the black knights is our name"

Korena Kinney

John Iacone & Tom Hluska

# Basketball Cheerleading

Upper Left: Girls standing on the side line cheering on the boys.

Bottom Left: Kiah flying in a full while doing a cheer.

Bottom Middle: Captains Shiley and Tiffany pose for a picture before the game.

Upper Right: Alaia flies in an arabesque during a basketball game.

Bottom Right: Girls cheering B-E-A-T beat those North Stars during a basketball game.

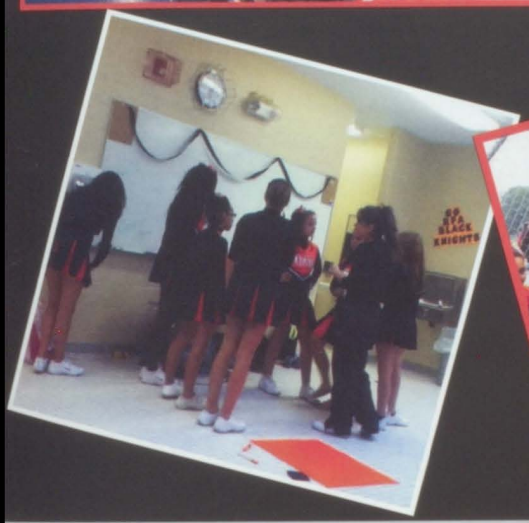
**Back Row:** A. Cauthen, T. Leftwich, B. Szablewski, S. Finneman, S. Ozuno, K. , J. Hapka

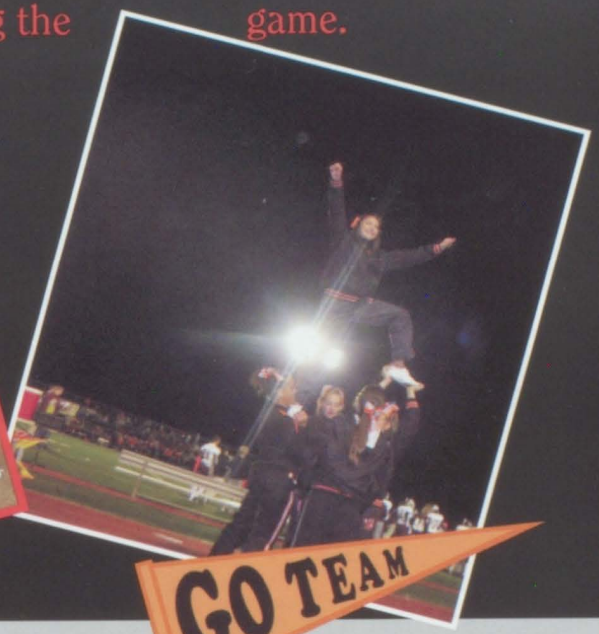
**Front Row:** K. Duffy, N. Hanrahan, A. Cauthen, A. Camp, C. Todd, Y. Hutchinson, A. Kekic

**Coached By:** *Kristen Marlow*

# Football Cheerleading

Left: Girls are on the bus going to competetion.
Bottom Right: Cheerleaders decorating the football players' lockers before a game.
Bottom Middle: Everyone before a game with the Little Ceasers Guy.
Bottom Left: Stephine doing a hitch during the game.





**Back Row:** T. Mumpton, B. Johnson, E. Lewis, J. Freeman, T. Pietrowski, S. Russell, T. Leftwich, S. Puma.

**Front Row:** K. MacDonald, K. Elmer, H. Asch, H. Rotenberry, K. Pfeiffer, K. Powell, S. Finneman.

**Coached By:** *Kristen Marlow*

# Boys Lacrosse

## Varsity

Top Row: Corey Hanson, Lloyd Parkmond, Mike Pekarski, RJ Ferucci, Dylan Sbarglia, Jake Gulla, Steve Mack

3rd Row: Coach L., Nick Argenzia, Joey Rutkowski, Connor Richie, Tyler Nicolaus, Nick Nardslico, Coach Calandra

2nd Row: Mike Mahl, John Frankey, Nick Bonanza, Pat Giardino, Zachary Olivas, Preston Travis

Front Row: Drew Hinman, Richard Stapleton, Randy Linderman, Devin Trifeletti, Justin Hussey, Brian Stapleton

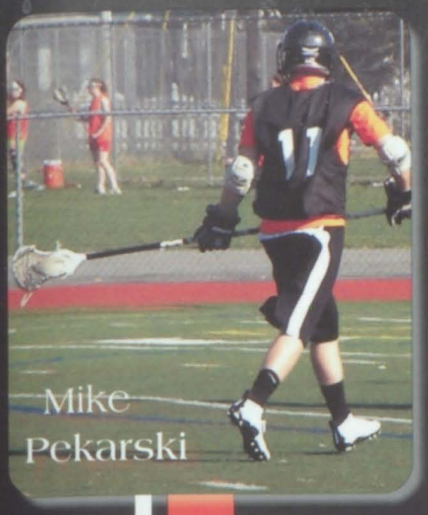
## Junior Varsity

Top Row: Coach, Chris Uvanni, Nate Iverson, Jared Smaldon, Julius Berry, Tyler Sperl, Coach

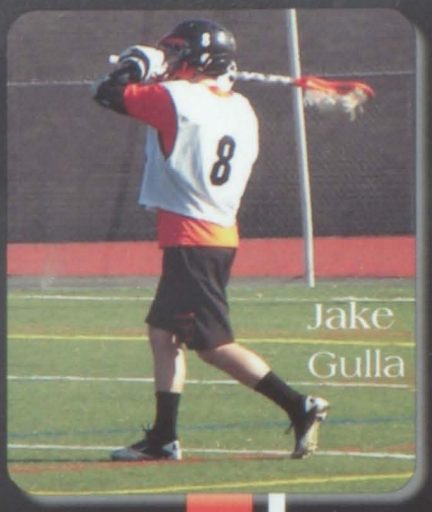
3rd Row: Christian Redus, Derek Wenndt, Derek Tuthill, Kyle Lapointe, Lintel Reed, Matt Cardello

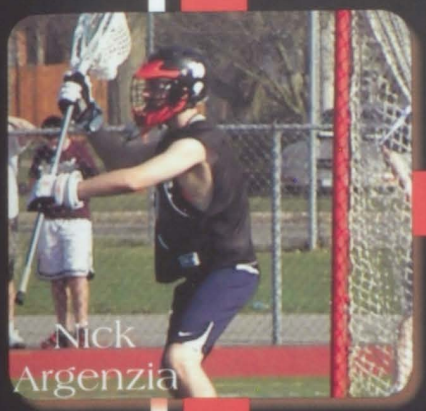
2nd Row: KaShaun Cyrus, Thomas Harding, Alex Todd, Casey Gawarecki, Nick Rossbrooke, Jaxon Rutkowski, Baylen Marschall

Front Row: JT Entelisano, Joey Serra, Daniel McCarthy, Manny Carter, Dylan Cadrette, Nico Cheri, Vinny Argenzia


Mike Pekarski

The varsity lacrosse team was a great team that put 100% into every game. Their talented group of seniors have been practicing for years to lead their team and make it one of their best seasons of their high school careers. Good season boys!


Jake Gulla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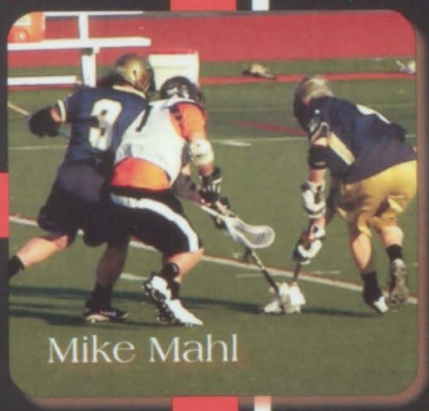
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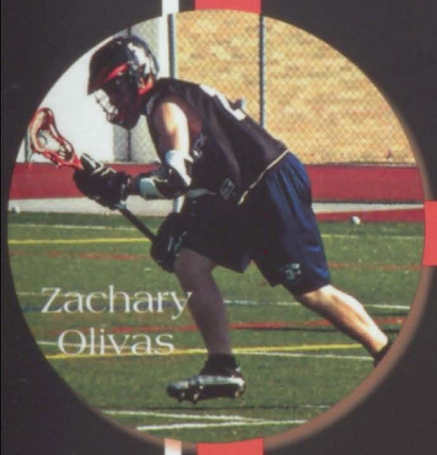
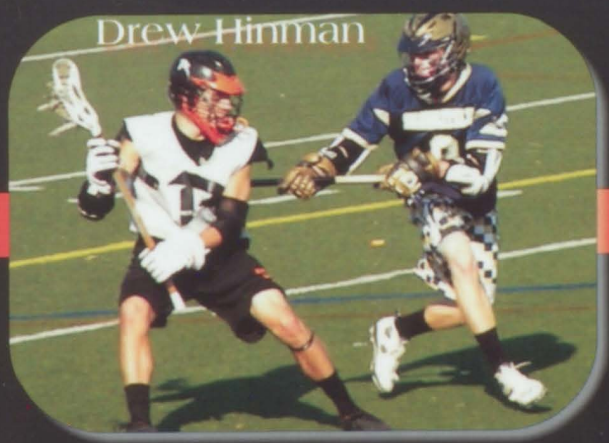

Zachary Olivas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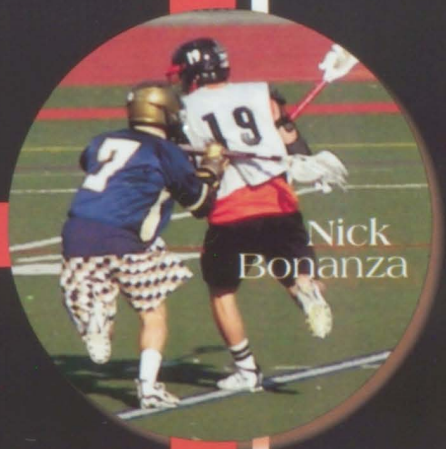
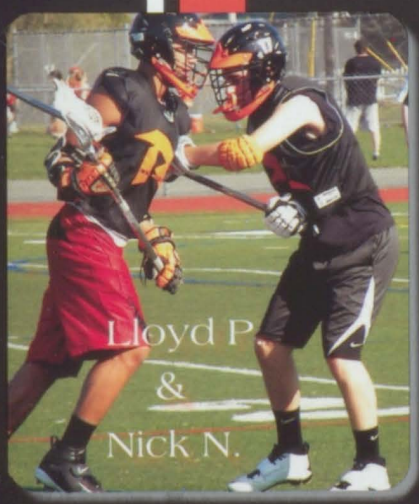
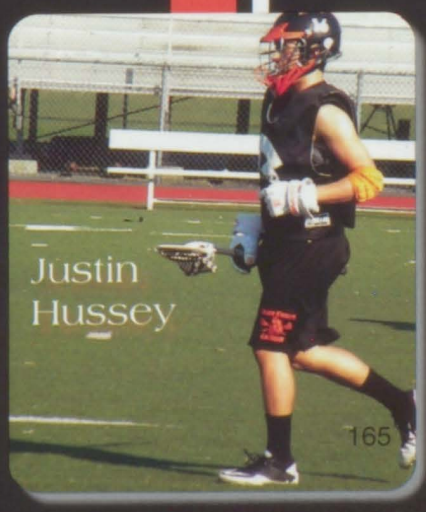

Nick Bonanza


Lloyd P. & Nick N.

JV lacrosse was a young team with a lot of fresh new talent. About half the team consisted of first time lacrosse players. But even though they were new to lacrosse they were not new to teamwork. These boys worked very well together and had a great season!


Justin Hussey

# Girls Lacrosse

## Varsity

Megan Pritchard cradles the ball to pass to the next girl in line.

Front Row: Josie Emmanuele, Rachel Noone, Danielle Famolaro, Becca Kieffer, Courtney Wheeler Rachael Hojnacki. and Amy Marcoccia
Middle Row: Brooke Miller, Sam Grunder, Abbey Janes, Alexa Sanzone, Meghan McCormick, Kayli Smith, and Emily Whaley
Back Row: Marisa Castro, Brittney Liddy, Bri Scales, Karle Serrano, Holly Hash, Haleigh Cavalier, Gianna Pasqualetti, Mckenzie Smith, Linda Martin, and Coach Pokines

Josie Emmanuele grabs the ball out of the air.

Francesca Francescone runs with the ball during shuttles.

Karle Serrano looks up for a pass down the field.

## Junior Varsity

Junior Varsity waits for Mr.Lacey to give directions.

Front Row: Avery Jones, Cheyenne Smith, Mckenzie D'Aiuto, Francesca Francescone, Katie Cook, Lyndon Hall, and Sarah Smith.
Back Row: Coach Lacey, Kelsie Nash, Yakira Hutchinson, Tanyeajua Rodriguez, Gabrielle Carter, Kayela Turner, Veronica Kessler, Allison Lenaghen, and Keylee Fonseca

Mickey Smith transitions into the offensive end.

Cheyenne Smith looks to pass to her teammate in line.

Linda Martin gets away from Mickey's tight defense during a drill.

Kayli Smith drives to cage on a fast-break.

Meghan McCormick pulls a move to score.

Becca Kieffer rolls away to clear the ball.

Alexa Sanzone shoots to the low corner.

Brooke Miller sprints back to the line to repeat the drill.

The Triple Dongs take a break from practice.

Holly Hash shoots on Kieffer during a shooting drill.

Noone looks up to pass to open cutters after gaining possession of the ball.

Seniors: Courtney Wheeler, Rachel Noone, Danielle Famolaro, and Rachael Hojnacki

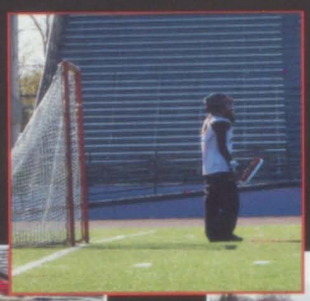
Captains: Alexa Sanzone, Courtney Wheeler, Rachael Hojnacki, and Rachel Noone

Rachael Hojnacki waits to pass the ball during shuttles.

*The Varsity Girls Lacrosse team is very young, but this season they look to improve and get better with stick skills and plays. The **four seniors** will miss the great times that are spent in games and practice with their teammates and Coach Pokines. The team looks to complete a **successful** season although they have to play against nationally ranked teams, West Genesee and Baldwinsville.*

Courtney Wheeler jumps to win the draw in last years game against Whitesboro.

Lauren McCarthy takes her position in goal.

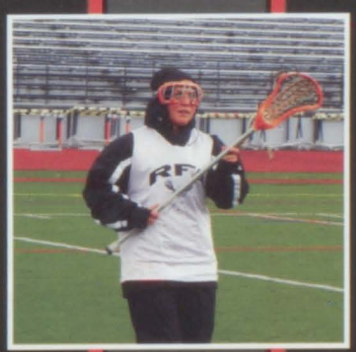


Cheyenne Smith sprints down the sideline to transition the ball.

Kayela Turner passes the ball to her teammate.

Megan Pritchard c-cuts for the ball in shuttles.

Lyndon Hall looks to pass to cutters during 7v7.



Danielle Famolaro waits to catch the ball during the shuttle drill.

# Baseball

## Varsity

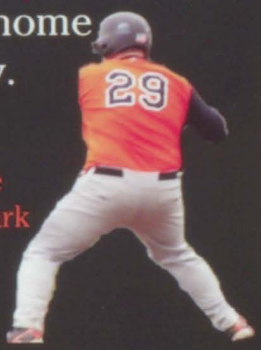
Front L to R: Coach Gzik, Josh Luczak, Dylan Thomas, Aaron Tennant, Steven Eychner, Ryan Reilley, Garret Reilley, Connor Miller, Spencer Kahler, Jeff Cooke, Coach Davis. Back: Coach Hickey, Josh Mazzaferro, Tom Warcup, Tommy Amuso, Robbie Waller, Kenny Adams, Michael Jensen, Matt Adamik, Drew Deblasiis, John Allen.

## Junior Varsity

Front L to R: Jarred Luczak, Collin Hetherington, Joey Campbell, Matt Zakala, Justin Losowski, Dominic Mayo, Josh Reed, Adam Chmielewski. Back: Coach Cuthbertson, Gavin Hickey, Matthew Miller, Ian Hetherington, Joey Izzo, Anthony Pacicca, Bernie Adorino, Eddie Campos, Coach Randall

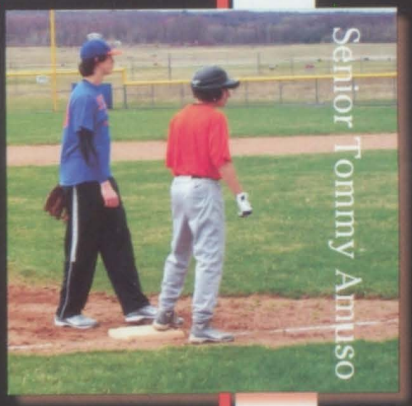
Seniors

RFA baseball has a long tradition of success and continues this tradition with 11 returning seniors leading the way along with the help of many underclassmen. With the abundance of seniors the black knights will definitely be a threat on the diamond under Coach Davis. The boys started the season off on a cold March 29th but they were nothing but hot and ready to play with a 8-0 shutout win over Auburn and the season's first out of the park home run by senior powerhouse hitter Ryan Reilley.


Ryan Reilley before the seasons first out of the park homer

Captains: Josh Mazzaferro & Steven Eychner

Captain Steven Eychner


Senior Tommy Amuso

Junior Jeff Cooke

Senior Garrett Reilley

# Softball

## VARSITY SOFTBALL

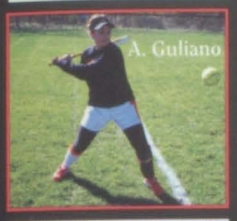
**Back Row:** Coach Tabolt, Katrina Piemonte, Melissa Gilbert, Mikenna Sochia, Mary Resnach, Ashley D'Amore, Coach Rolf.
**Middle Row:** Christina Carissimo, Kaysie Gregory, Autumn Swavely, Alexandra Kimmel, Gabrielle Eggan, Nicole Campbell.
**Front Row:** Halie Schoff, Hannah Wasco, Courtney Tasco.

## JV SOFTBALL

**Back Row:** Coach Deraway, Alyssa Fazio, Samantha Washburn, Brianna Coia, Jenna Kieskle, Jennifer Tasco, Shelby Clark, Alicia Swavely, Mercedez Birnie.
**Bottom Row:** Paula Amo, Paige Plumley, Dana Glantz, Emily Beach, Courtney Fiorenza, Alexandria Samuels, Morgan Mack, Annika Guilano.

C. Carissimo

M. Resnach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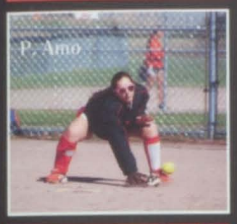
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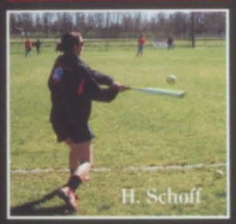
S. Hanrahan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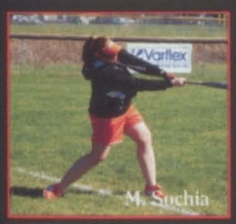
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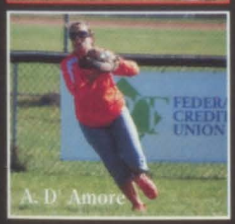
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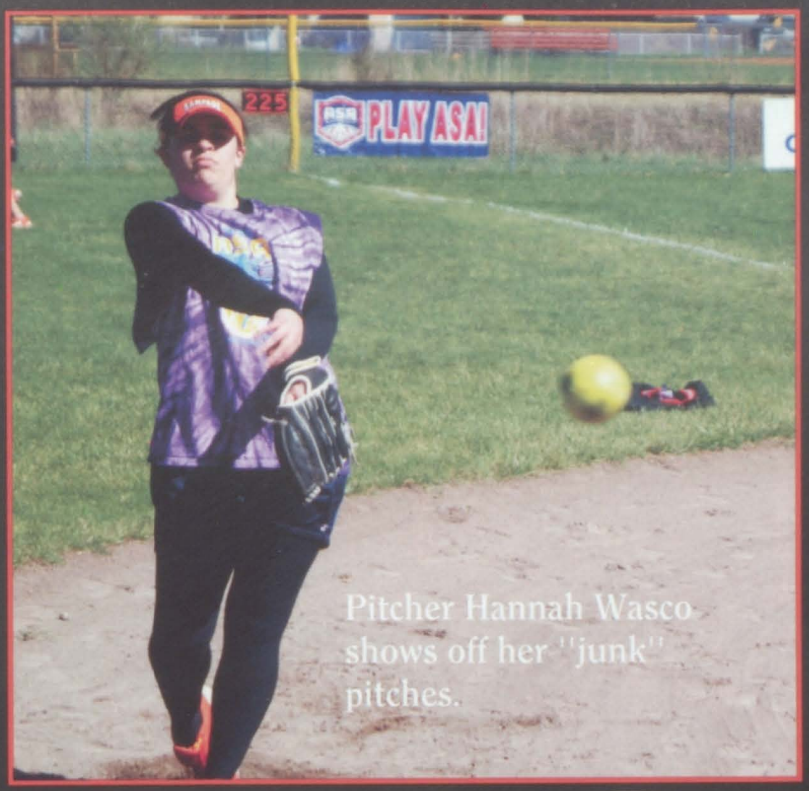
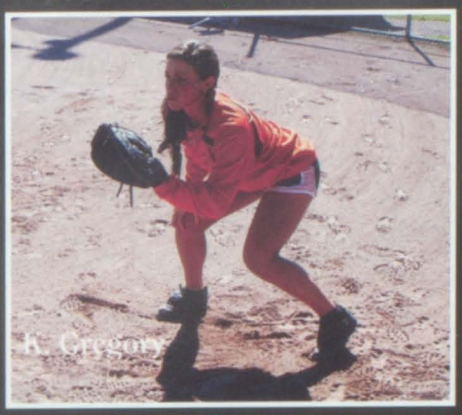

Pitcher Hannah Wasco shows off her "junk" pitches.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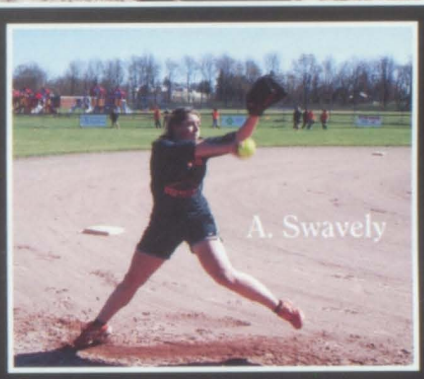
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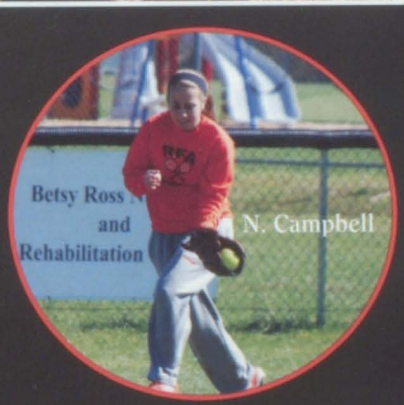
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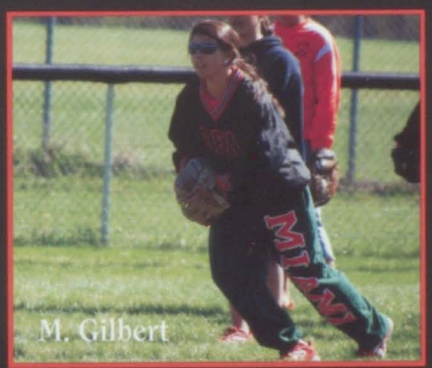
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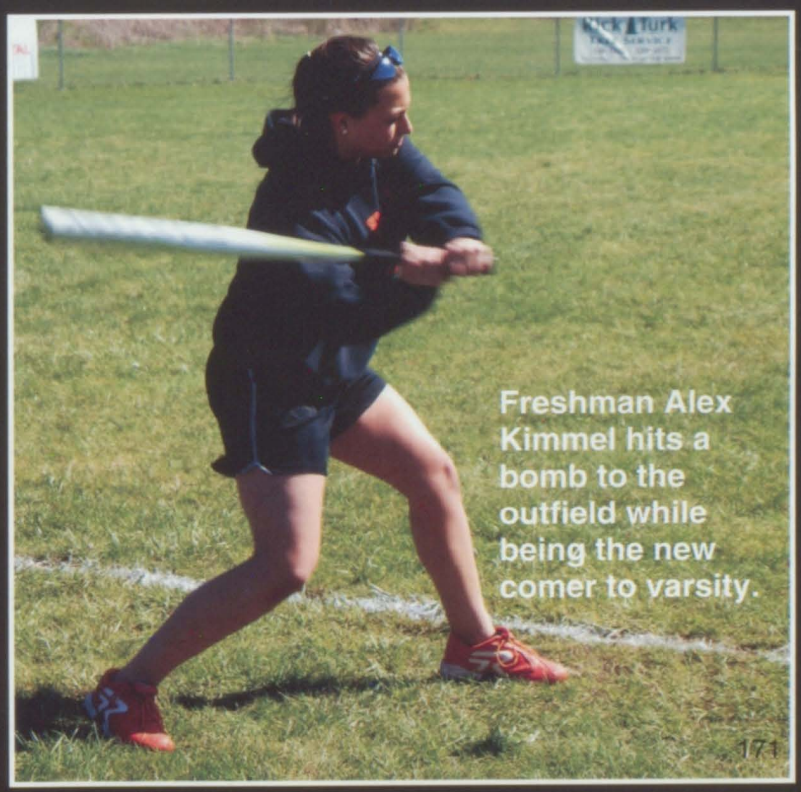
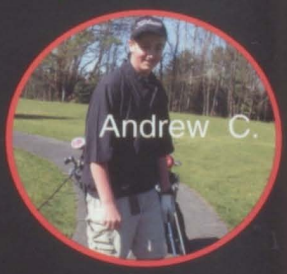
Varsity Captains: Courtney Tasco, Hannah Wasco, Halie Schoff

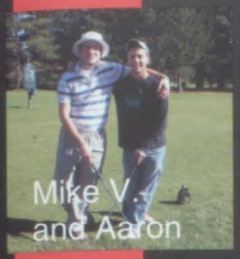

Freshman Alex Kimmel hits a bomb to the outfield while being the new comer to varsity.

# Boys and Girls Golf

(From Left) Coach Cupp, Quinn Bremer, Aaron Agosto, Joey Facciolo, Andrew Bremer, Tyler Robinson, Andrew Cooney, Logan Fournier, Ryan Noone, Dylan Fournier, Mike Vanderhoof



(Front) From left: Amber Knight, Coach Petrelli, MaryAnn Bulowa
(Back) From left: Sheila Olney, Lauren Felice, Andrea Eastup, Taylor Laughinghouse, Tessa Zmudosky


Mike V. and Aaron

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Mike S. and Eric

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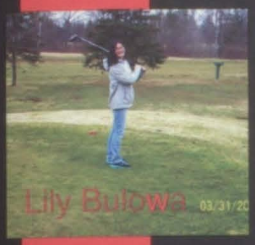
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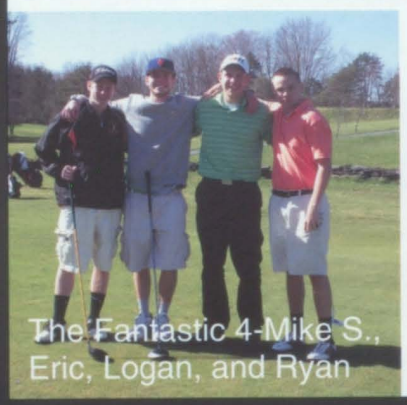
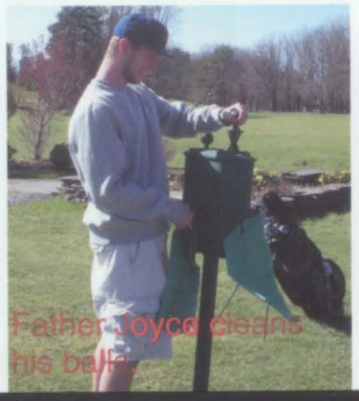

The Fantastic 4-Mike S., Eric, Logan, and Ryan


Father Joyce cleans his balls.

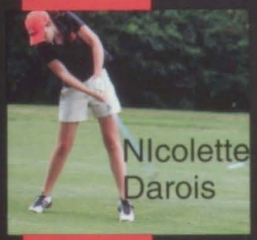
Catching some rays- Nic, Andrea, MaryAnn, and Lauren

Logan, Mike S. and Eric

Reading the green- Ryan Noone

MaryAnn putts while Lauren looks on

Mike Vanderhoof follows through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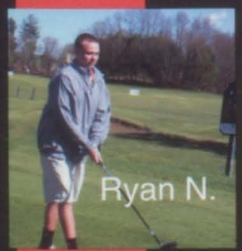
Ryan N.

A- Lauren and Sheila hi-5 after Sheila sinks a putt.
B- Mike Seifert practices his back swing.
C- Aaron Agosto concentrates on the ball.

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D- Eric Joyce tees off.
E- Logan Fournier gets ready for his power drive.

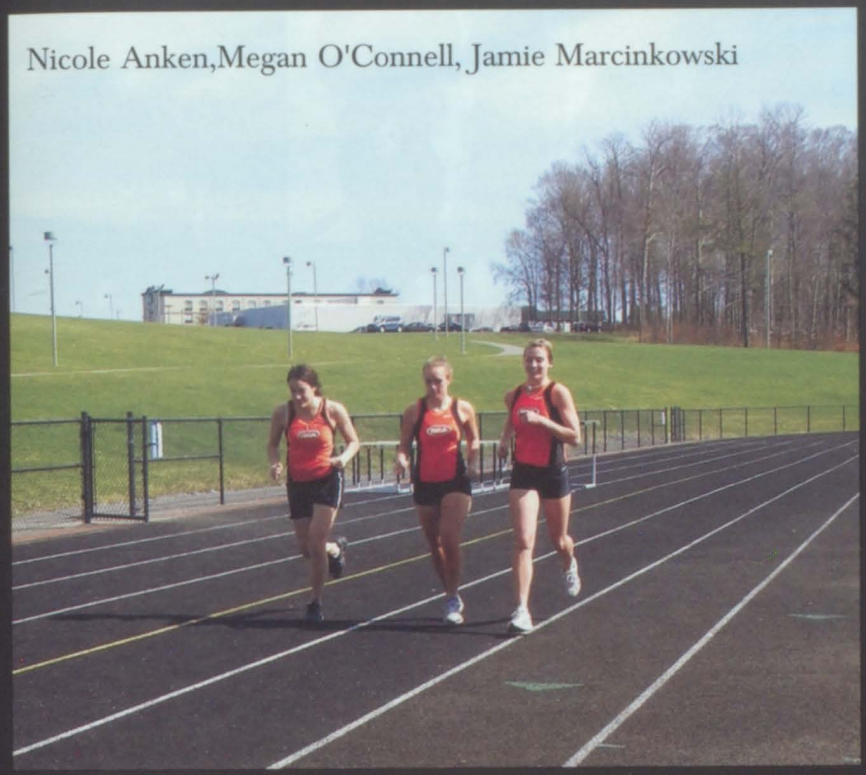
# Outdoor Track

4th row: Coach Downs, Abigail Williams,Aliza Escabar,Betsy Bamford, Kaitlyn Dombrowski, Kati Gotch, Katlin Whitmoyer,Teresa Anken, Tricia Loso, Mariah Mays, Madison Varano
3rd row:Brett Atwood,Sarah Seedat, Jennifer Taylor, Megan Dombrowski, Anias Western-Womack, Alexia Gualtieri, Samantha Roush,Jasmine Meerdink, Sierra Rathbun, Nicole McReynolds, Marissa Holmes, Bu Doh Paw.
2nd row:Aleigha Hawkins, Hannah Premo,Brianna Weir, Krista Anken, Jessica Gallagher, Vita Puma,Teira Hawkins, Abigail Gray, Amanda Nouvong, Than Than Aye, ---
1st Row: Britany Edwards, Jamie Marcinkowski, Allison Cosimeno,Megan O'connell, Nicole Anken, Tori Zecca

3rd row: Coach Swavely,Justin Houle,Matthew Morse,Gabriel Acevedo,Michael Kobito,Sonny Caruso,Ryan Metott,Patrick Haugen,Eric Colvin,William Coleman,Leroy Brown , Brett Mckinney
2nd row:Robert Alder,Kyle Coia,Jonathan Swancott,Dennis Drake,Anthony Capron,Ben Becker,Xavier Mason-Malone,Peter Mastracco,Zack Petroski,Benjamin Schmidt,Daniel Patterson,Brett Barnes,Michael Brognano,Coach Snee
1st row:Jeremi Briggs,Josh Lopez,Jonah Allen,Brian Slaughter,Matthew Silver,Jeff Brown, Connor Butters,Erik Winberg,Tyler Benedict,Nicholas Proper,Alexander Ackerman,Mike Paolillo

# live to run...

Indoor Sectional Champ Sonny Caruso, launches the shotput.



Nicole Anken,Megan O'Connell, Jamie Marcinkowski

Eric Winberg

Krista Anken

# ...run to *Win*

# Boys Tennis

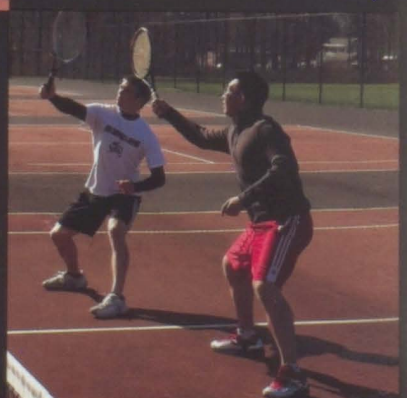
From left to right, back row: Jacob Gosier, Dylan Furney, Joe Serano, Josh Metzger, Sam Mazzaferro, Daygen Hughes, Accele Rando, Berry Li, Eric Metzger, Mark Fanelli, Jordan General
Front row: Sebastian Dominico, Thomas Hawkins, Michael Mallace, Sawyer Razy, James Striker, Ryan Hughes

On the left: 1st singles player Jacob Gosier practing good form on his forehand side

On the left: Accele, Evan, and Zack picking up balls afer a hard drill on the tennis courts

On the right: Sebby Dominico loading up to rip it and grip it

On the right: Doubles team barry Li and Thomas Hawkins take control of the net



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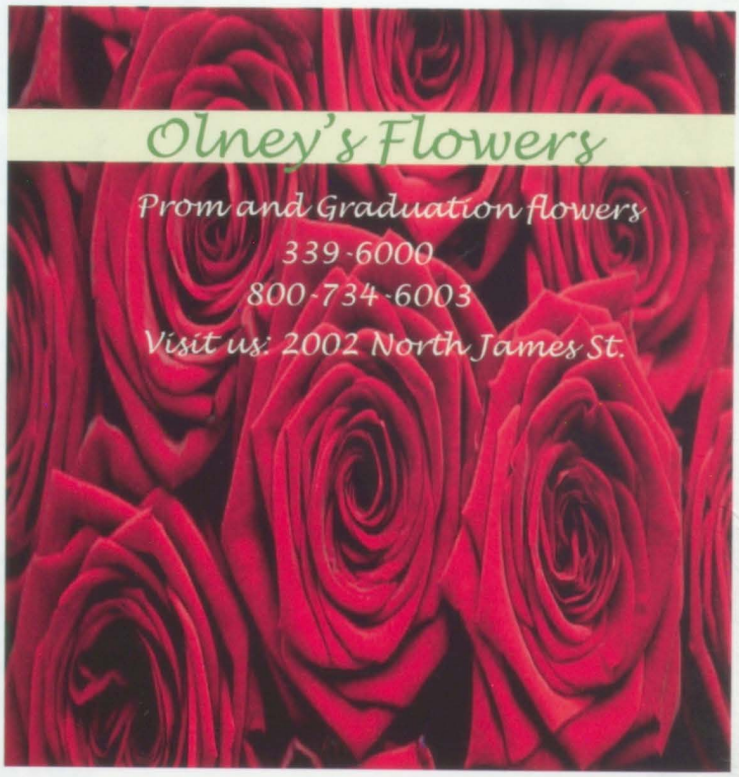


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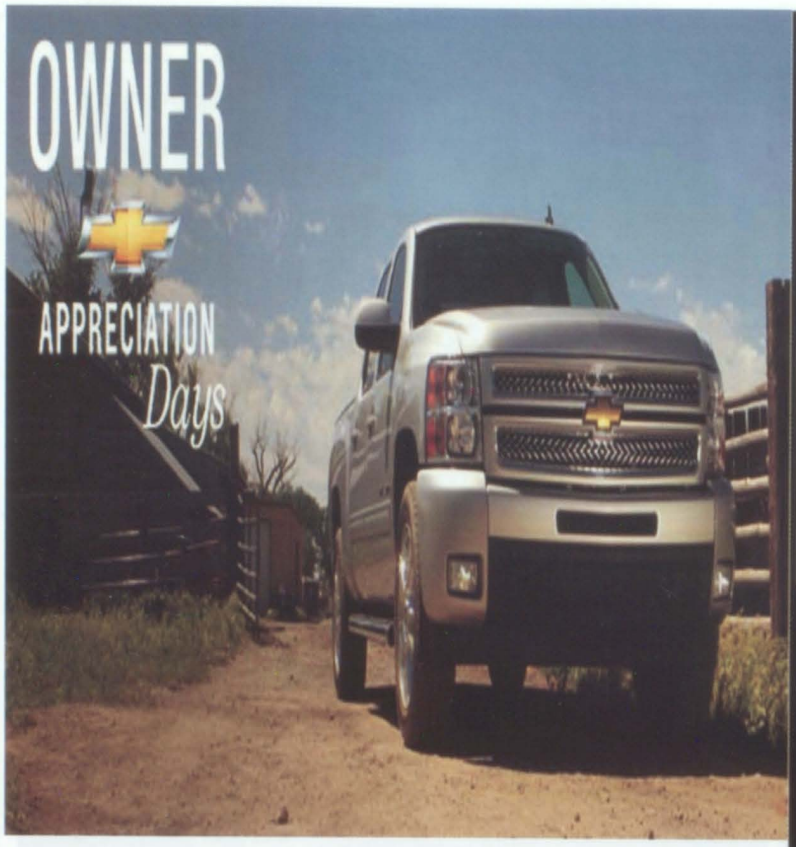


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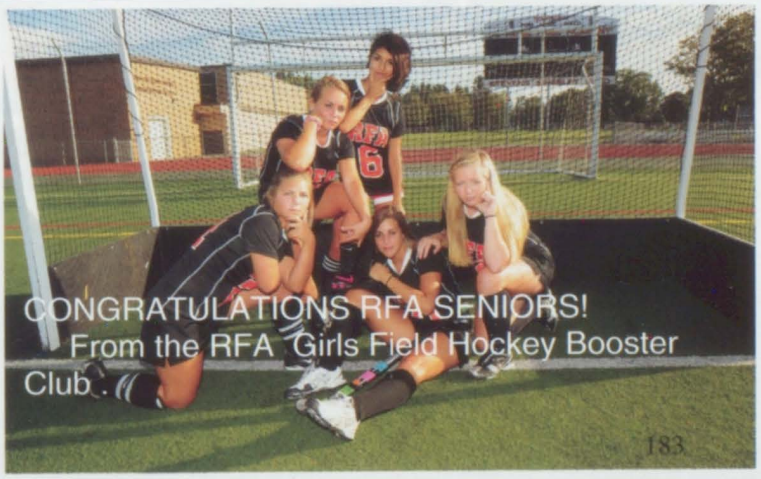

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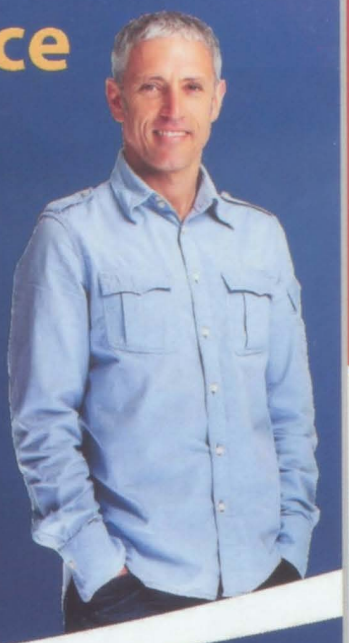

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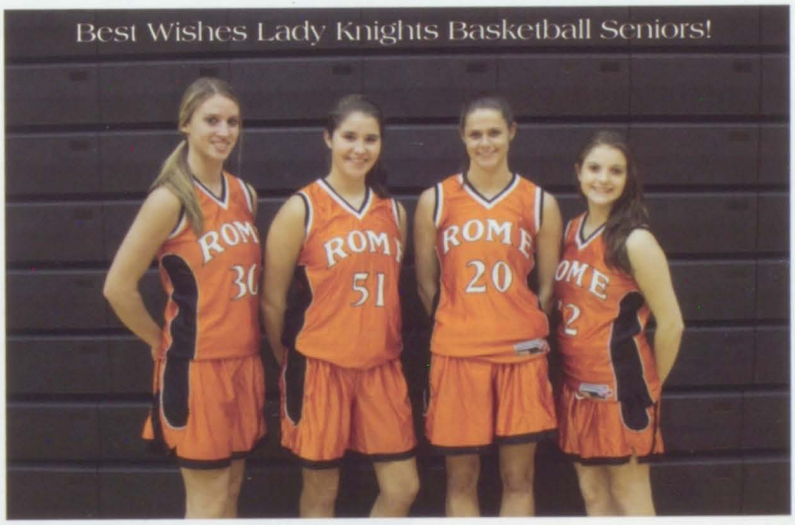


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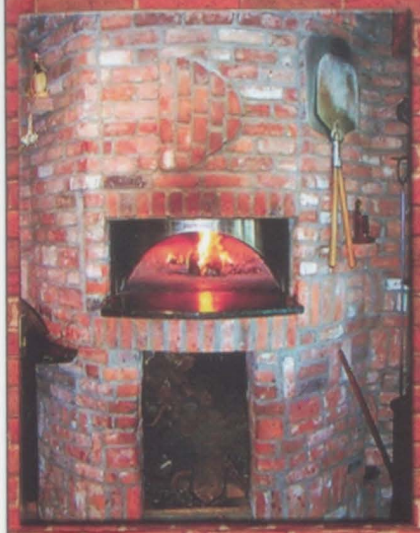

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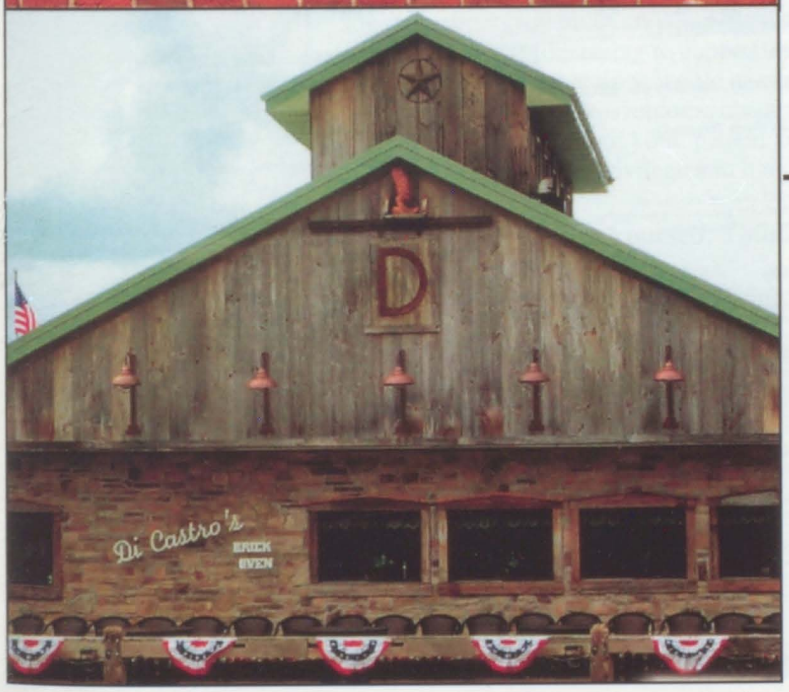


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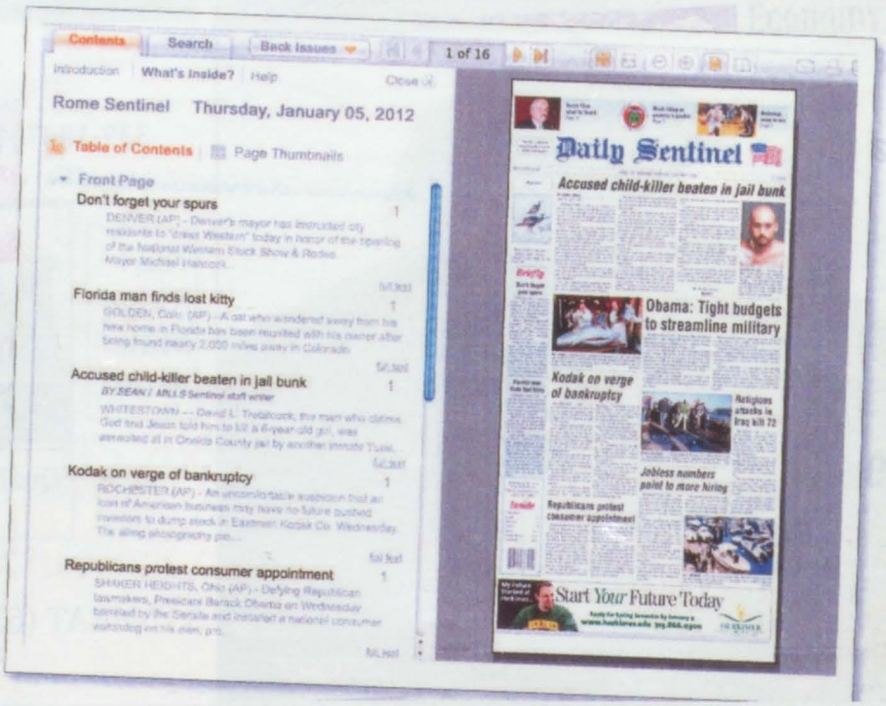


# Nicole Anken

Nicole,
We are so incredibly proud of you as you graduate from high school. You have been a dedicated, responsible student and have overcome many obstacles to achieve this goal. We believe in our hearts that your Mom is watching you from above with a great big smile on her face and tears of joy in her eyes. Her sweet little girl who cried on the 1st day of kindergarten now crosses the podium on her graduation day as a beautiful, successful young woman. God bless you, Nicole.
Love, Dad & Rachel

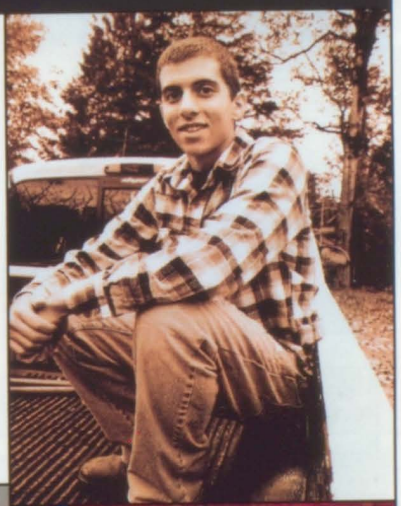
Nicole, Congratulations on your graduation and on your excellent academic and athletic high school accomplishments! You make us proud Sis! We love you, Adam, Krista, Teresa & Joshua

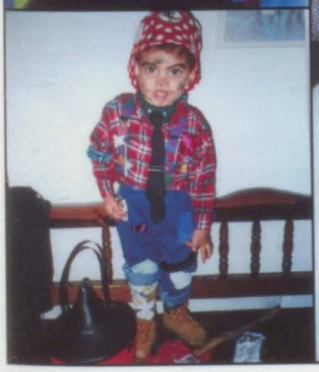
# Lenny Benedetto

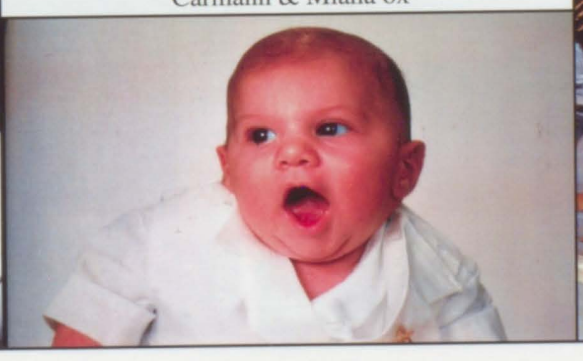
"Hey Buddy",
Although your school years are behind you and many changes are in your future, one thing remained consistent; your loving, loyal and gentleman-like demeanor. From the moment you entered our lives, you've been the type of son that parents dream of and God blessed us with. Expressing how proud we are would be like trying to capture the Sun, impossible to accomplish because no words or actions would ever express the depth of our love and pride for you! You have overcome obstacles, fought hard to prove yourself and through it all remained kind, patient and always considerate of others. It has been a privilege and honor to be your parents!

**Remember: "Be true to Yourself, Your Family, Your Country & God."**

Always loving you "Son-Shine"Dad, Mom, Carmann & Miaha ox





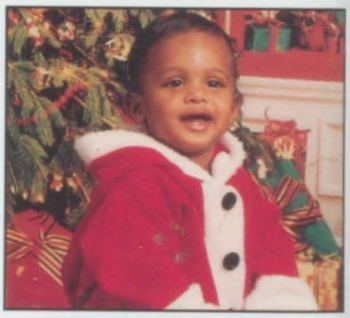


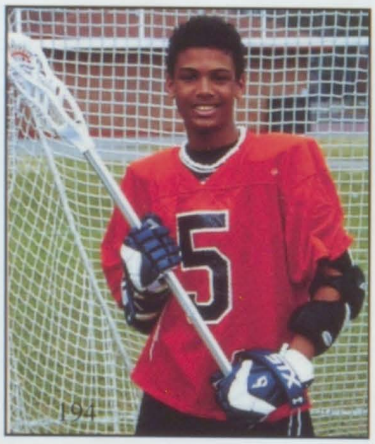
# Thomas Amuso

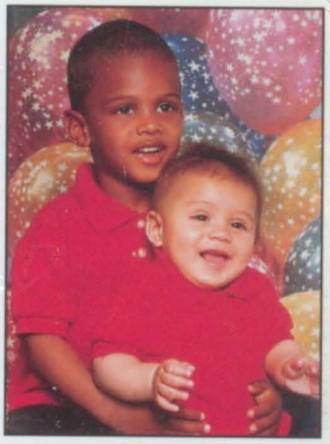
10/8/93 is the happiest day of our life. It is the day that you made our family complete. It has been a privilege to watch you grow from a beautiful, sweet baby boy to the handsome, well-rounded young man that you are today. We are so very, very proud of you and all that you have accomplished especially in the last four years. You are such a well-disciplined person, and we respect and admire how well you achieved each and every goal in your life and we know you will continue to do the same in the future. We are honored to be your parents and we know that you will be successful as you begin a new chapter in your life.
We love you so much!
Love,
Mom and Dad

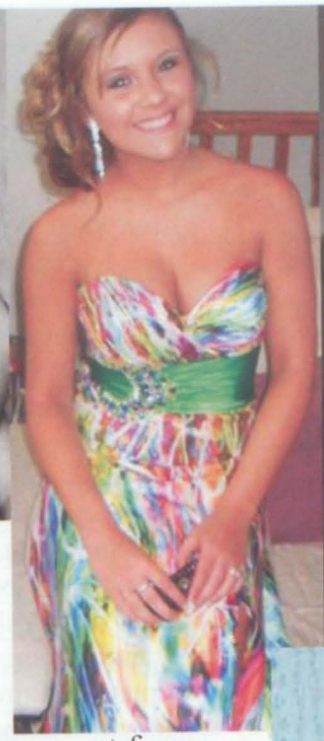
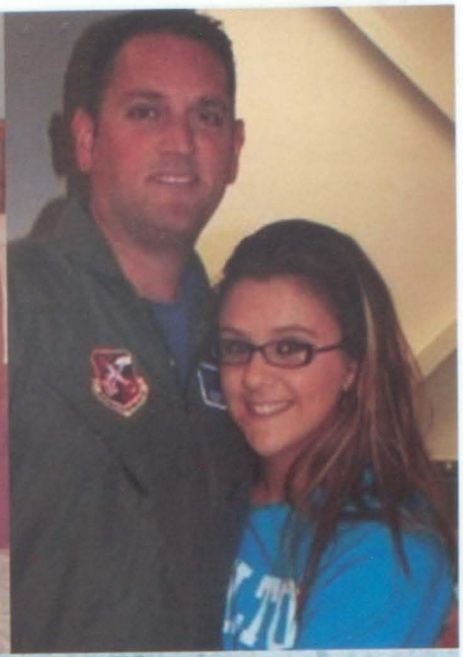
# Marcus Campos

Marcus, you are a strong and unique individual. You will have challenges in life but remember you have your family to help you through it. Family is important and will be there till the end. You have goals and we know you will be successful in reaching them. We love you and we are so proud of you and what you have accomplished so far in this world.
REACH FOR THE STARS!
Love,
Mom, Dad, E.J., Eddie, Selena

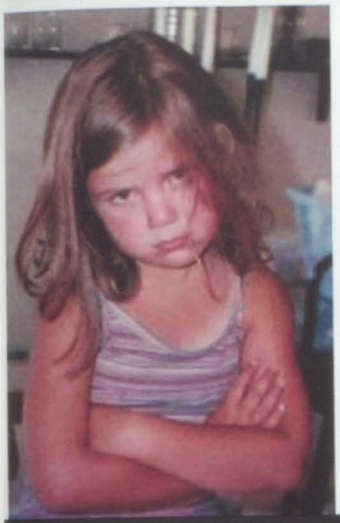






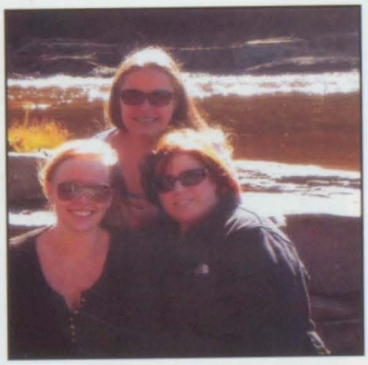
# Alyssa



In the blink of an eye you went from singing along with Barney to working at Olympia. You Have grown up into a charismatic young lady who is simply appealing.( It is like you're a giant banana) No one could ever be more proud of their daughter... the only advice that you need: Keep being you!!!

# Emily Closinski

Dear Emily,
It is hard to believe that you are graduating high school. We are so very proud of the beautiful, compassionate, and kind young woman you have become. We are truly blessed to be a part of your life. As you embark on the next part of your journey, remember that we are always here to support, encourage, and love you. We can't wait to see what you will accomplish!
Love,
Mom, Dad, and Elizabeth
Be the change you wish to see in the world.
-Gandhi



# Lindsay D'Aiuto

Live Your World of Dreams
lean against a tree
and dream your world of dreams
work hard at what you like to do
and try to overcome all obstacles
laugh at your mistakes,
and praise yourself for learning from them
pick some flowers,
and appreciate the beauty of nature
say hello to strangers
and enjoy the people you know
don't be afraid to show your emotions
laughing and crying make you feel better
love your friends and family with your entire being
they are the most important part of your life
feel the calmness of a quiet sunny day
and plan what you want to accomplish in life
find a rainbow and live your world of dreams
Congratulations, Linds!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Mackenzie and Caroline

# Stephanie Dibert

I hope your life takes you to the highest of your hopes, to every opportunities and in the direction of your dreams.
" Live the life you have imagined"
All our love forever
- Mum and Kate

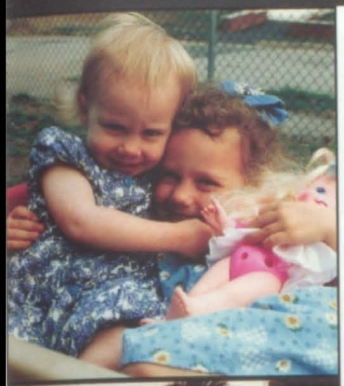
# Allison Cosimeno

To the moon Allison, that's where you can go if you want. I love you Baby. Whoa is me. Whoa is you Too? Great Job! I Love You.
-Momma

# Evan Kiskiel

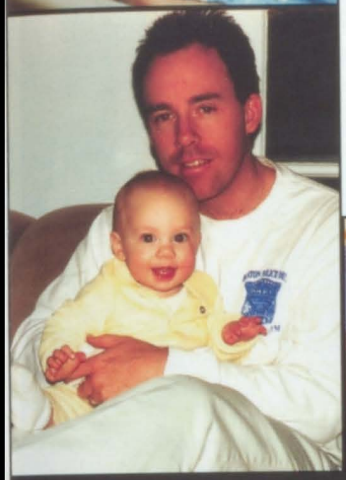
We are very proud of the man that you've become. Keep working hard so that all of your dreams can come true!
Love, Mom & Dad

# Alison Claire Duran

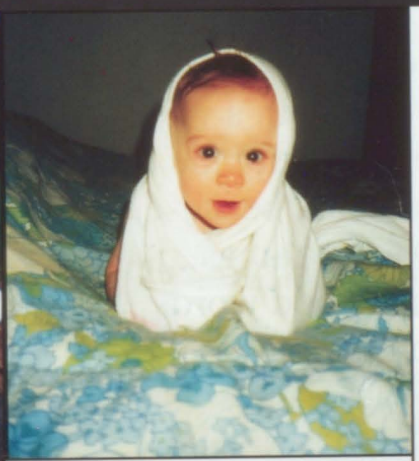


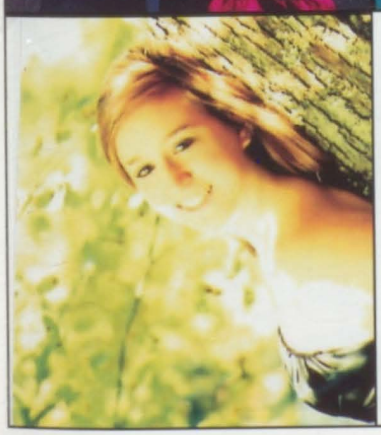
"Birdie" Puzzle Races Run and get a tissue Easy Bake Oven cakes C i n d e r e l l a "You can hop in with me" "What do you want to talk about?" Bounce... Bounce... Bounce... CRASH! Watch where you're walking your "OTHER" left, Did you know... " Best laugh ever!
Tootsie Rolls on the T-bar Friday night movie & candy M&M's, Junior Mints, Sour Patch Salads, pomegranates, broccoli & ziti. FK and Emperor's New Groove, NUTCRACKER, potaotes & corn , ice cream "Baby Mama"
NYC, Joffrey, Legally Blonde, Chipolte Clara Doll, Spanish, Arabian, Dew Drop, Snow Queen, S*U*G*A*R*P*L*U*M Callie (RIP)
Thoughtful, Loyal and Caring, Light up the stage with your smile, Light up your World with possibilty. Shine on tiny dancer.

Love Mom, Audrey, and Haley



# Cara Forbes





Cara,
Congratulations!
You did it!!
We are so proud of you.

Love,
Mom, Steve and Lea

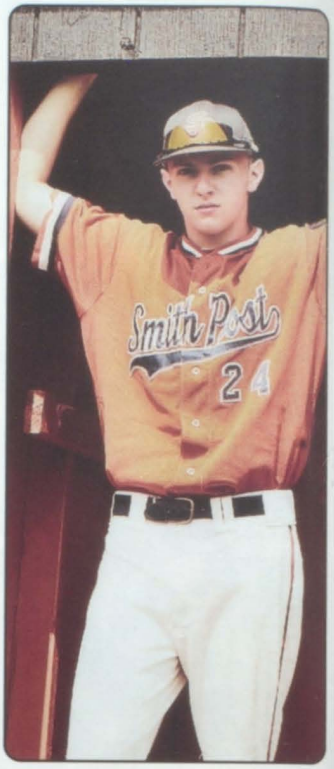
# Andrea Eastup

You've made us prouder than any words can express with everything you have and will accomplish, because of who YOU are! Hold your head high and follow your heart, life will lead you exactly where you are meant to be. You'll always be our little "Red Sox"!

Love, Mom, Dad & Tom.

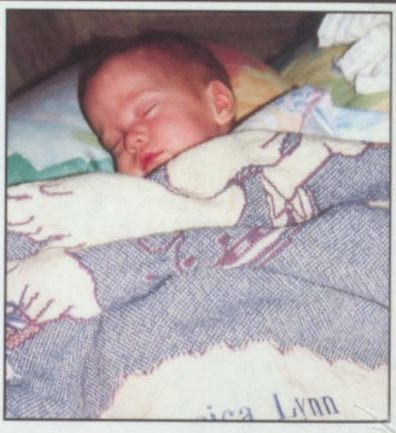
# Steven Eychner

Steven-
Congratulations on an amazing 18 years! What you have accomplished is truly remarkable: playing numerous sports, having a full social life with many friends, and achieving a high class ranking while taking a rigorous course load. Life is a balancing act and you are certainly off to a great start. Reflect back on this chapter in your life remembering the attitude, goals, and hard work that got you to this point. As you begin your next chapter, continue on this path and the possibilities will be endless. Remember to dream big, have fun, and know that your family is ALWAYS here to support you. Good luck at U of R!!
We love you
Mom, Joe, Annika, Alex,
Dad& Rachel



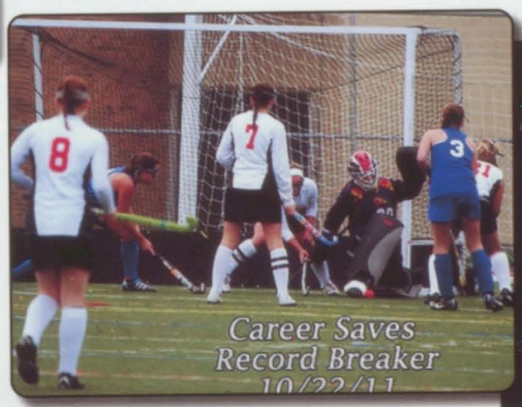

# Jessie Flaim

Jessie,
You came into this world with a will to live and the determination to defy the odds. Never lose that determination, because you are destined to do great things...
We are proud of you beyond words...
Congratulations Jessie!
With all our love, Mom and Dad



# Danielle Famolaro

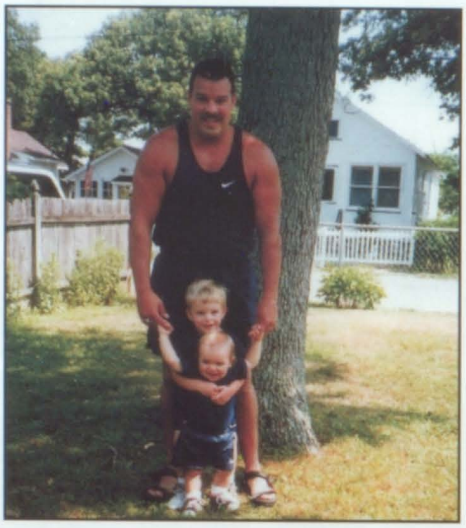
Danielle- As you start your future there are just a few more things, I really need to say. You've made us proud as we've watched you grow, it's time for you to fly. So take a step and don't look back because you may see us cry. Remember all the important things we taught you through the years. Study hard and have some fun and you'll work through your fears. Make the right decisions as if we were standing by your side. You've grown to be a beautiful woman, you fill our hearts with pride. As you start your journey away at school we will be close at heart. Know our love is always there even when we are apart. Congratulations!
We love you to the moon & back!
Mom, Dad
and Dylon



Career Saves
Record Breaker
10/22/11

"Once a man has made a commitment to a way of life, he puts the greatest strength in the world behind him. It's something we call heart power. Once a man has made this commitment, nothing will stop him short of success."
-Vince Lombardi

# Logan Fournier



**Congrats, you did it!**

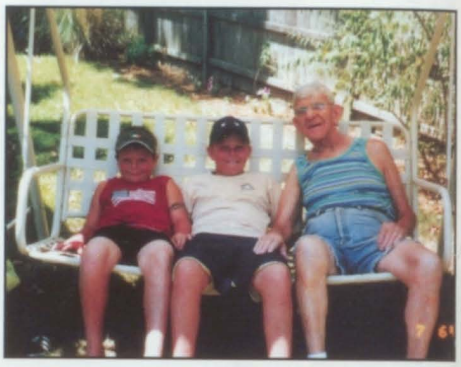
**When you stand and look at the ocean remember, when any door closes another always opens.**

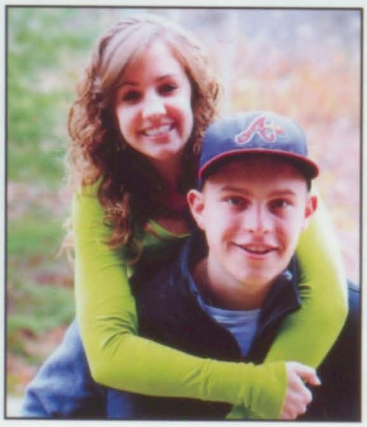
**When you tackle your life in the distance, you were taught not to take the path of least resistance.**

**Your family is so proud of what you've done.**
**Look back, smile**
**and know you have won.**

**Keep up, always your best positive strength takes care of the rest.**

**Love you,**
**Mom and Dylan.**

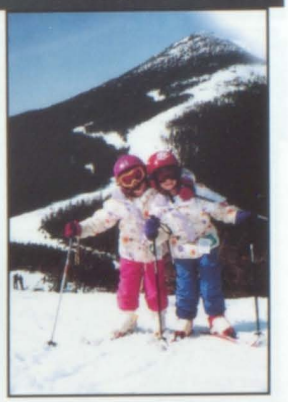


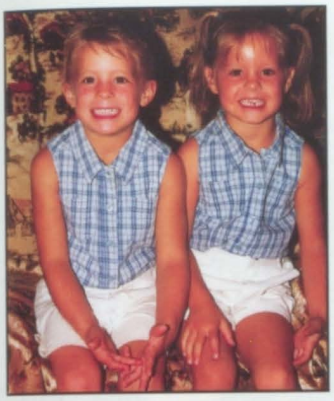


# Caitlyn Gallagher

Caity-
We are so very proud of you! You brightened our world from the day you were born. You have always had an infectious smile that always makes everyone happy when they are around you. You have turned into a beautiful, talented young lady. We are excited for you to take your next step into the future. Keep smiling honey. We love you.

Mom, Dad, and Jessica.
(Hank and Molly too!)





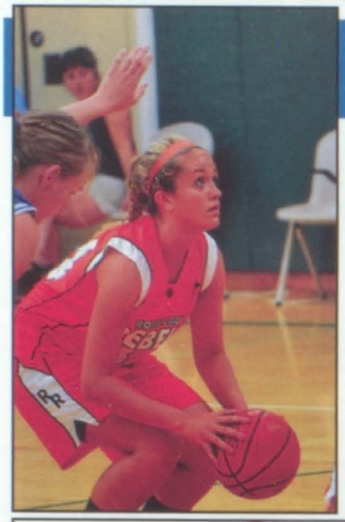
# Demi Grant

A Bundle of Joy,
Swirling my Hair.
A chatty child
Swinging in the Air
A Princess, A Mommy
Someone's Best friend.
"To pay is Graduation Day."
Left or Right
Neither is wrong
Always Remember
"The Sunshine Song"
Love, Mom

To Daddy's Little girl.
I've watched you grow from a little girl into a beautiful young woman. You've worked hard in everything you have tried to do and I'm so proud of you with all your achievements. No matter what choices you make I'll always be here for you. I Love you Demi
Love Daddy & Lisa

Your My Mommy
You & Me
We have traveled this Road
Together you see
Your Graduation has come at last
"it wasn't too bad of a Task"
I Love you Mom
you made great choices
I got you up early,
Kept you up at night.
I'm Proud to say
"That's My Mommy"
"On Graduation Day"
I love you mommy,
Adrien.

# Johanna Gulla



Hannah,
Your determination was evident from such an early age. You have a face that is so readable, a mind that is thirsty for knowledge, a keen sense of humor, and a sharp wit. All are endearing qualities, but what sets you apart as a young woman that we love and are so proud of -- your sincerity of heart & soul.... your kindness.... your compassion.... most of all.... your love of family. Please know that you have and will still continue to accomplish great things!

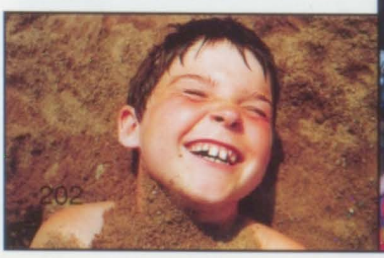
Love,
Dad, Mom, Marleah, & Michele

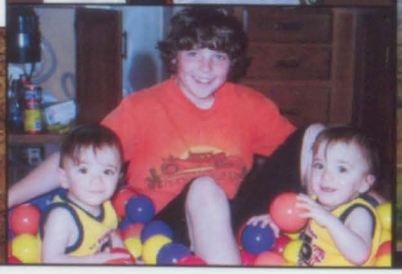
# Jacob Gulla

Jacob~ You did it! You have accomplished so much in such a short period of time, and influenced the lives of so many individuals...both young and old. We are so very proud of you!
Always remember:

"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind"
~Dr. Seuss

We love you!
Mom, Caden, Caleb, and all of your family





# Ryan Hughes

Dear Ryan:
Remember to always believe in yourself. No matter what pathway you are led down in life, learn deeply from each lesson. We will always be here to guide you, and support you in everything you do.
-We are so proud of you,
Paul, Mom, Matt, Dylan, Patrick and Daygan.

# Tanner Harding

We are so proud of the person you have grown up to become. As you begin to write the next amazing chapter in your life, remember we will always be here to support and encourage you! We love you baby-girl!

XOXOXO
Mom, Dad,
Taylor, and
Thomas

# Kiersten Scott

From A Precious Baby
To A Beautiful Little Girl
To An Outstanding
Young Woman

We Are So Proud
Of You!
All Our Love,
Mom, Dad, Kelsey,
Nanie, Papa, and Bumpa

# Samantha Lopez

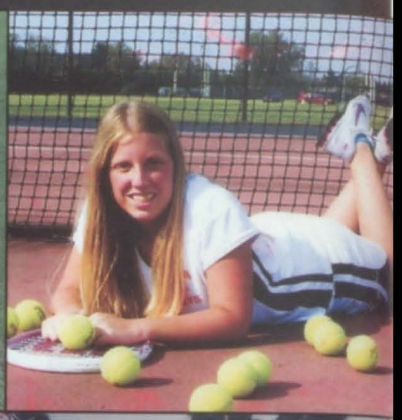
Samantha,
You continue to grow more intelligent, beautiful, and sensitive everyday. We are extremely proud of you and will be here for you always. Dream big - you can accomplish anything you set your mind to!
Love,
Mom & Dad

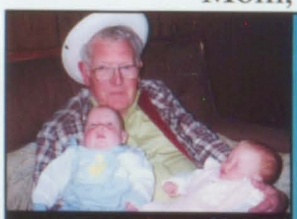
# Michael & Melissa Kobito

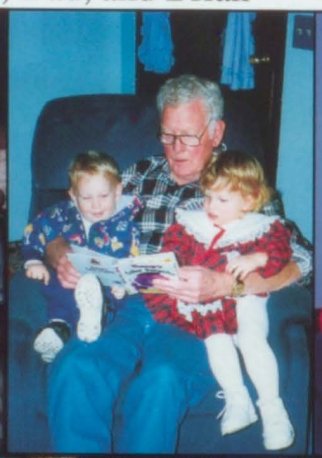
It was a miracle when you were born and watching you grow and change everyday has been a dream come true. Dad, Mom, and Brian enjoyed watching you both mature and take your own path through your first eighteen years and making great achievements. The dance lessons, music lessons, basketball, football, and tennis sent each of you in your own direction, setting your own personal goals to achieve in the future. For every ending there is a new beginning. Graduation is only one of your goals, going on to college is the start of another. We know you will never give up and will succeed in the goals you set for yourselves. We pray, you choose the career you will enjoy, stay safe and healthy and find happiness in everything you do and live life to the fullest.

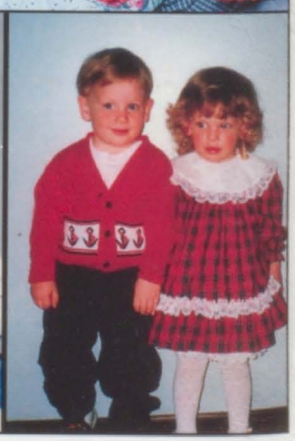
Love,

Mom, Dad, and Brian



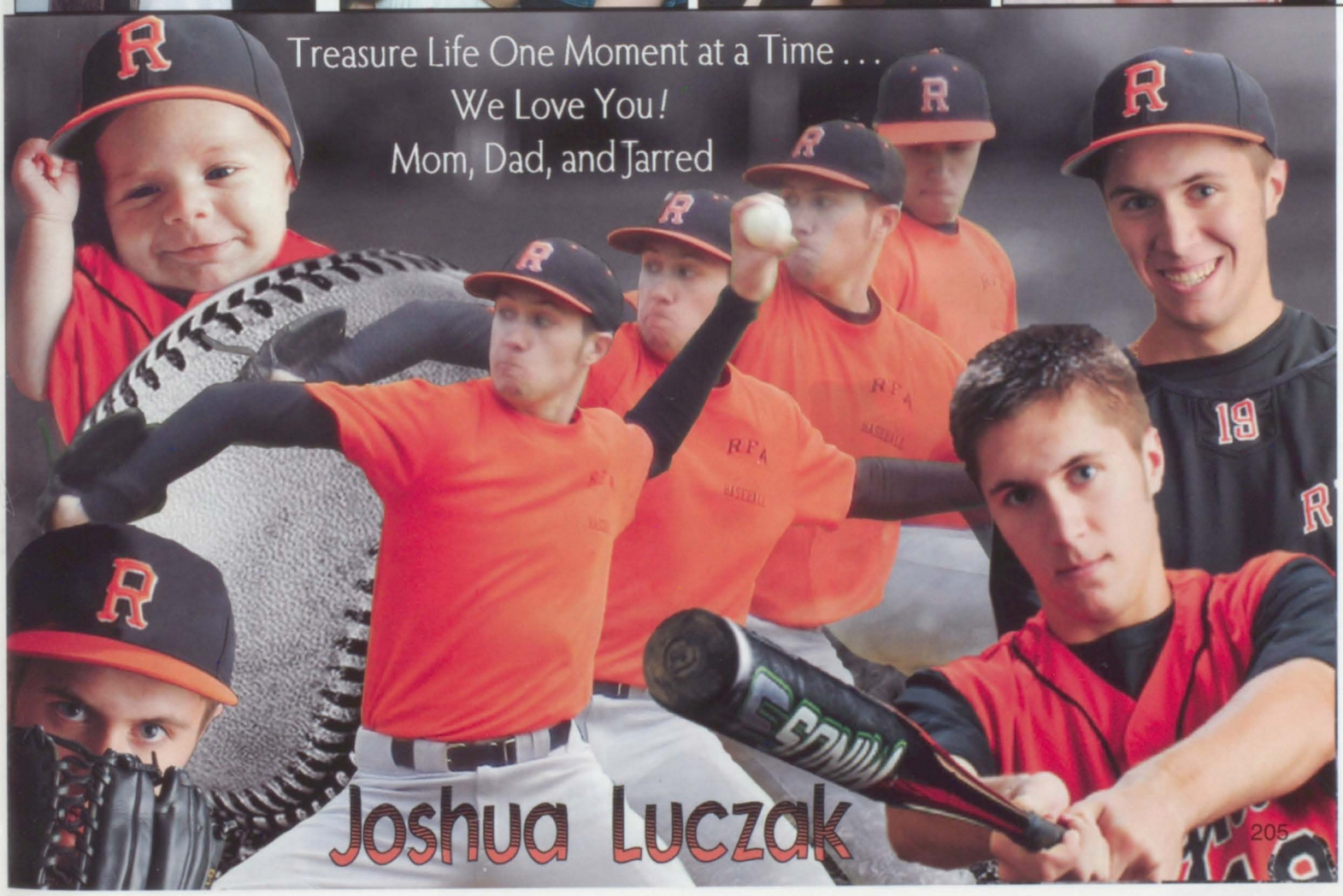




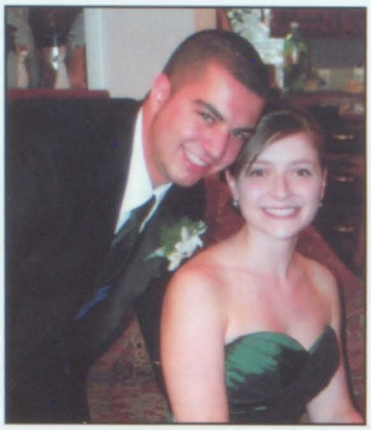


# Carissa Jo LaPointe

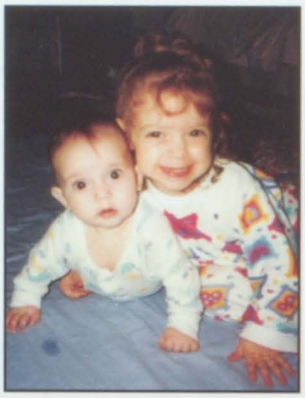
For eighteen years I have watched you grow from the cutest little girl, into a beautiful, intelligent, respectful young lady. I am very proud of you, and know you will achieve all your goals in life, and find happiness. I only want the best for you, so remember, I will always be here for you. Best friends forever.
I Love You - Gram



# Alyssa Marchesane

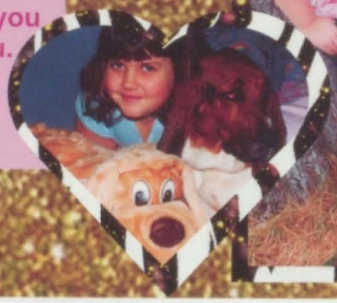


Boo,
Can't believe how quickly the years have passed. You have grown into a beautiful young lady.
Follow your dreams,
we will always be there to support you.
We are proud of you. We love you so much.
Love,
Mom, Dad and John



# Vicki Maitland

Vicki Bea,
We have been blessed with the opportunity to watch you grow from a cute small child into a beautiful young woman.We admit that it saddens us to see you start the rest of your life,however it cannot compare to how happy and proud we are to know that you are so well prepared and dedicated to your dreams.Never lose sight of those dreams and never compromise anything to reach them.Always know that we love you and will always be here for you.
All our love,
xoxo Mom&Dad xoxo

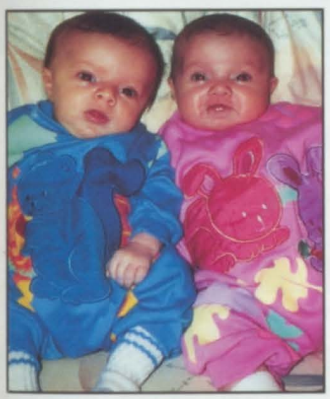


# Alex Martin

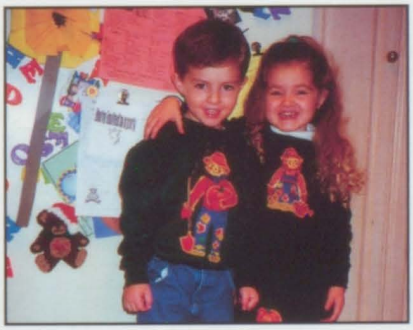
"Be who you are and say what you feel because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."

"If you can figure out a way to keep energy and gumption and fire alive, you'll always stay young. And where there's youth, there's hope...where there's hope, there's wonder...where there's wonder... there's faith...where there's faith, there's chance...where there's chance, there's love...where there's love, there's music...and dancing.
So in our heart of hearts,
We hope you dance." Love, Mom & Dad

# Jena & Jared Mattie



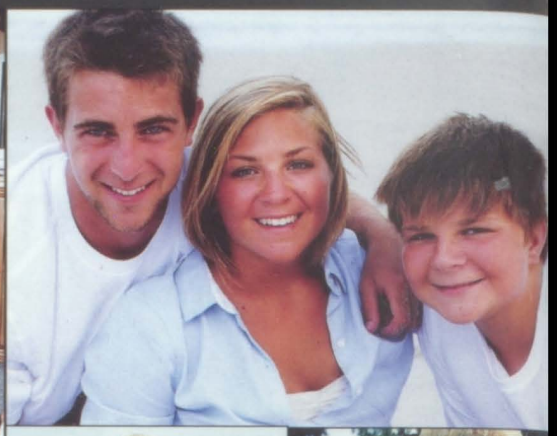
There were <u>two</u> to wash, <u>two</u> to dry,
<u>two</u> who argue and <u>two</u> who cried.
There's <u>two</u> to kiss, <u>two</u> to hug
And best of all ***<u>two</u>*** to love!
It's true that good things do come in <u>two</u>.
Congrats to our twins
Love Mom & Dad

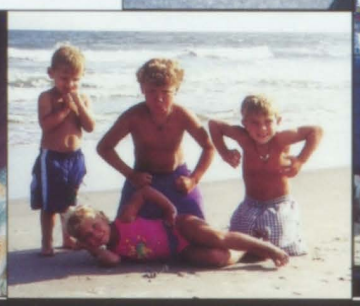


# Rachael Hojnacki

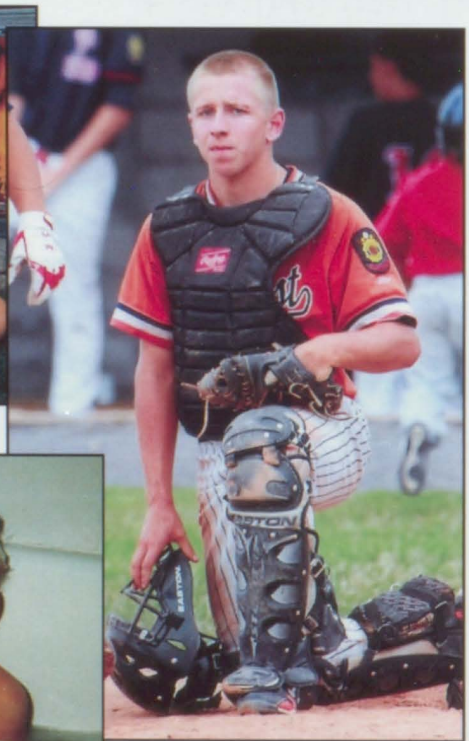
**OUR QUEEN,** From the minute you were brought into this world you have been a wonderful blessing to us. Your surprises are limitless. They have brought pride, joy, humor, laughter and sometimes disbelief into our lives.Your silent but always noticed drive to succeed is infectious. We are so proud of all of your achievements. We Love You. Remember your Polly Pocket Boots and all those bathing suits and your Pimmy. The Beach, Wall ball, Tower of Terror and all the giggles.Be true to yourself and others, Keep God in your heart. Your Family and Friends close. Keep the focus, With this you will conquer all of Your hopes and dreams in your next stage of your life. Forever in our hearts you will always be the beautiful little girl with the deep raspy voice.

Congrats! XOXO
Mom,Dad,Robbi & Rj



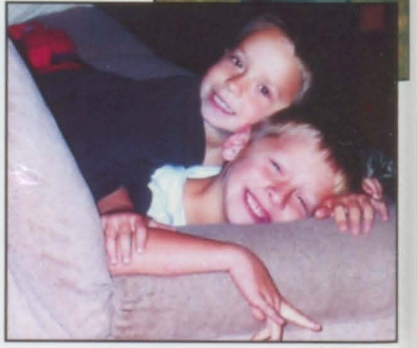


# Joshua Mazzaferro



"CONGRATULATIONS!
Today is your day.
You're off to great places!
You're off and away!You
have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself any
direction you choose.
You'll be on your own and
you'll know what you know.
YOU are the guy who'll
decide where to go".
-Dr.Seuss

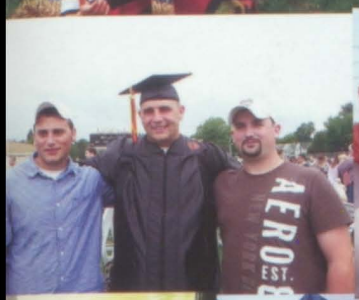
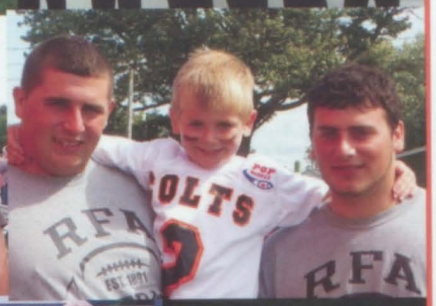
Learn from your mistakes,
be humble in your success
and always be true to
yourself.
Love you Lots,
Dad and Mom

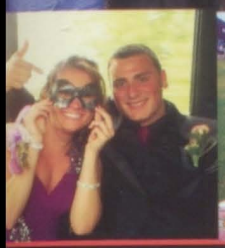


# Jacob Gosier

Jake, we've had an amazing journey these 17 years, we've had great times, great memories, and great stories. we will never foget how amazing you are and hope you will be even more amazing in the time to come Congratulations big Grad!!!! We Love you

-Dad & Mom



# Scott Kimmel

Congratulations! We are so very proud of you and all your accomplishments. You have grown from our little boy into a handsome young man. We wish you much success in the future, we will always stand beside you and we all love you so very much!

Love,
Mom, Dad, Zoe & Mia

# Emily Mumpton

Congratulations Emily!

You're bright! Beautiful! Smart! Clever! And have a great sense of humor!

I'm so very proud of you!

Love, Mom & Katie

# Briana Pallas

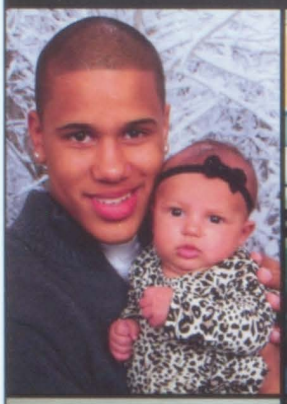
Briana,
It has been a privilege and honor watching you grow up and become such an incredible young woman. You have made me proud beyond words. Stay true to yourself and you will exceed in everything you do. It is time to trust your instincts, close your eyes and leap!
Love, Mom

# Cassie Parker

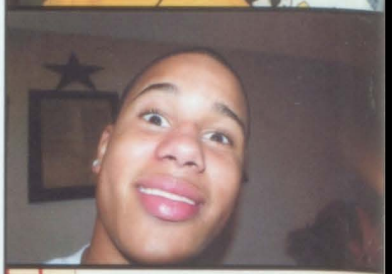
Cassie Lynn,
We are so very proud of you! We wish you all the happiness and success, and you will be one of the best in your field. We love you, ALWAYS + FOREVER

Mom and Papa

# Lloyd Parkmond



I cannot believe this day has come! It feels like it was just yesterday that I took your picture for your first day of pre-k. You were by far, the most handsome boy there with the biggest smile. Some things just simply stay the same. And some things will change. Soon, you will look forward to Aviana's first day of pre-k. She too, will hold your hand tightly with great anticipation and excitement. Surely, she will be the most beautiful girl there with the biggest smile-thanks to her soon-to-be dentist daddy. I am convinced you will succeed in everything you do. I am so very proud of you, Lloyd. Remember...NEVER, NEVER, NEVER give up! I love you!
Love, Mom

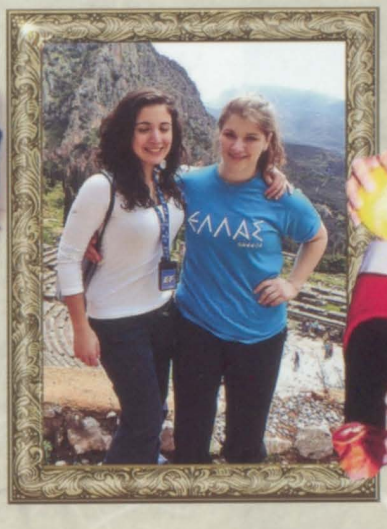


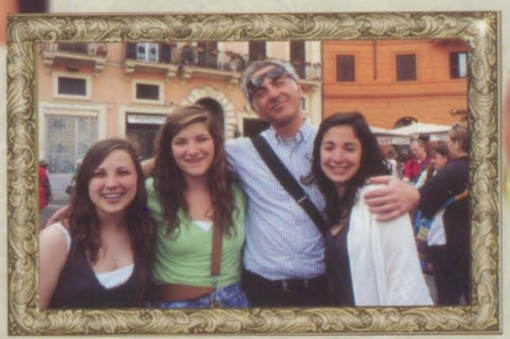
# Danielle Parsons

Danielle
Congratulations on a job well done. You are a beautiful, smart, remarkable young woman and there is nothing you can't accomplish when you set your mind to it, so dream BIG and go after it. You deserve everything you want out of life. We wish you success and happiness always. We are so very proud of you.
LOVE,
Mom, Dad, Kari, Chelsea, Ariana

Katrina:
In a blink of an eye you went from a shy, timid child to a mature, caring, young lady who has set her goal on the stars.
We are so very proud of all you have accomplished in all of the years through school and in your after-school activities.
We just want you to follow your dreams and never give up, for you can accomplish everything you set out to do. We love you.

Love Dad, Mom & Juliana





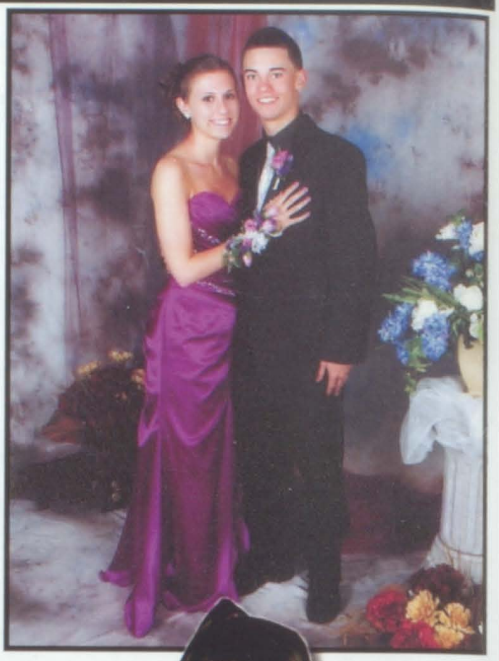
"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams'
- Eleanor Roosevelt

# Marykay Pruckno

Marykay,
You're not just my daughter, you are also my best friend. You have grown into a beautiful young lady. Good luck in your future endeavors & I do hope and pray you will have a prosperous future as well. Words can't describe just how proud I am of you. All these years of hard work have finally paid off.

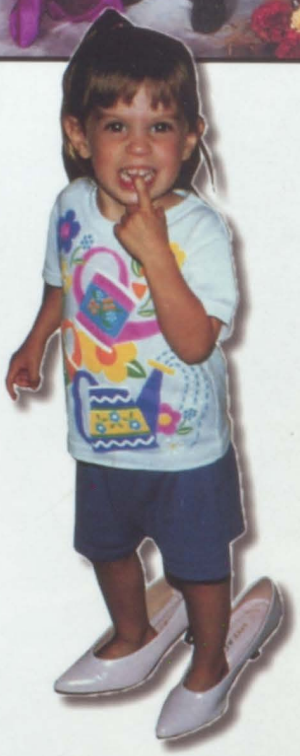
God bless you sweetheart & know that I'll always be here for you.

Love you so much,
Mom



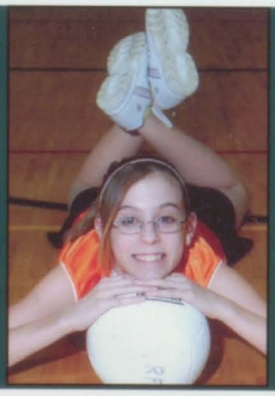
Marykay,
I've seen how hard you've worked to get here, you're an amazing young lady and I'm proud of all your hard work. I'm proud to be your stepdad.
Good luck in all you do honey.

Love,
John

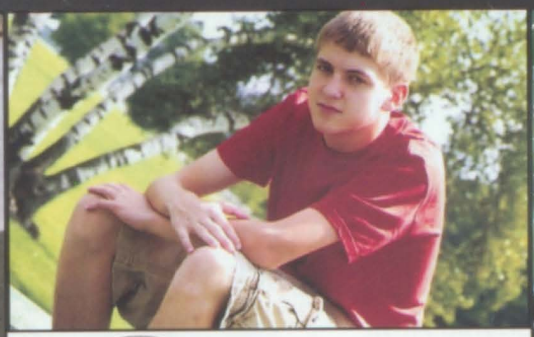


Sis,
We are all proud in all you've done, we wish you luck in all you do in your life.
We love you sissy.

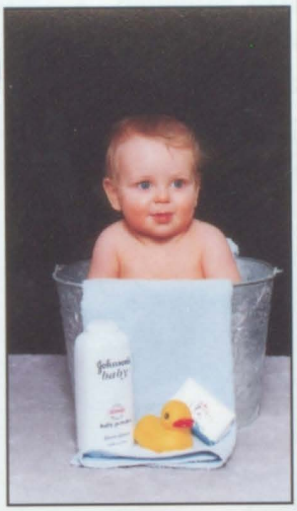
Love your brothers,
Andy, Jimmy, & Joey



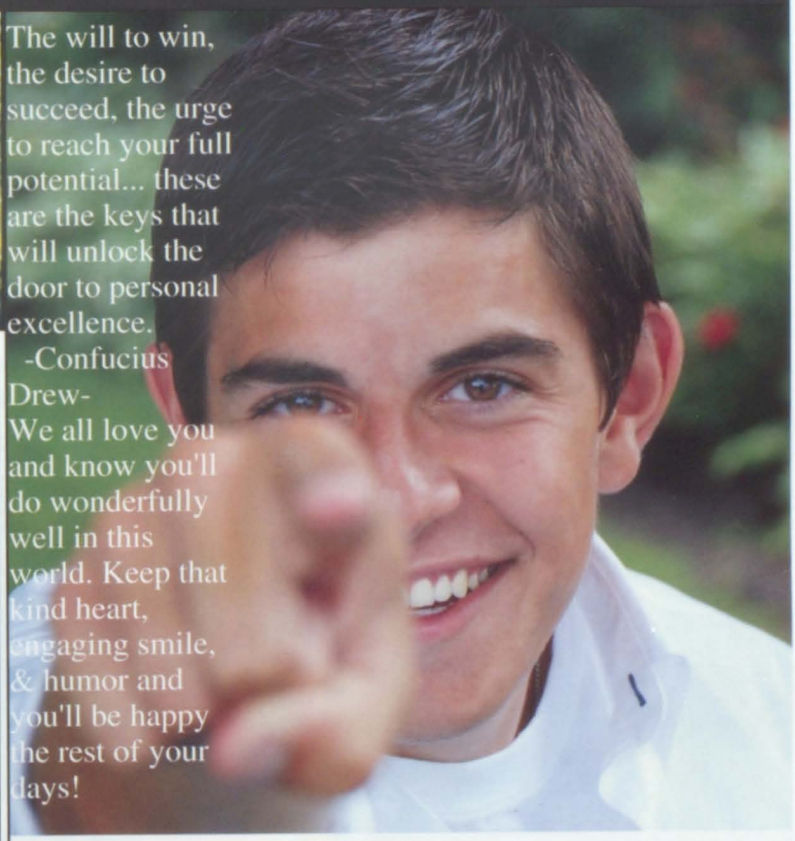
# Sawyer Razy



Sawyer,
You have made us so proud... We wish you only the best with what ever you do.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Jessica



# Hazen Drew Hinman

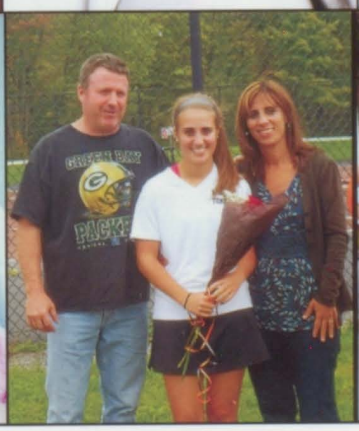


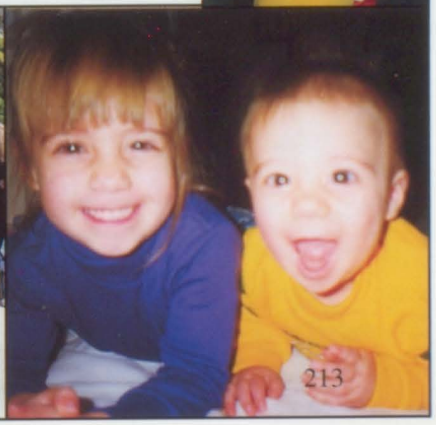
The will to win, the desire to succeed, the urge to reach your full potential... these are the keys that will unlock the door to personal excellence.
-Confucius

Drew-
We all love you and know you'll do wonderfully well in this world. Keep that kind heart, engaging smile, & humor and you'll be happy the rest of your days!

# Nicole Campbell

It's hard to believe that our beautiful little girl is graduating. We are so proud of all your hard work and accomplishments. Always stay as special as you are, count your blessings and most of all, enjoy life.
Congratulations, Coley!
We love you,
Dad, Mom, and Joey

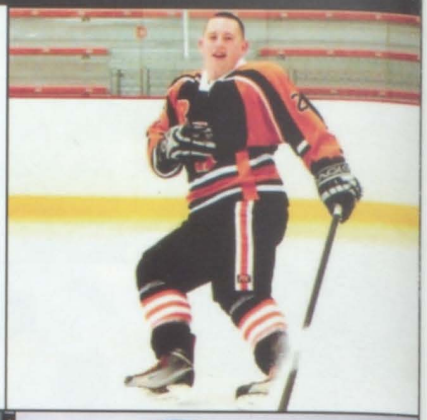




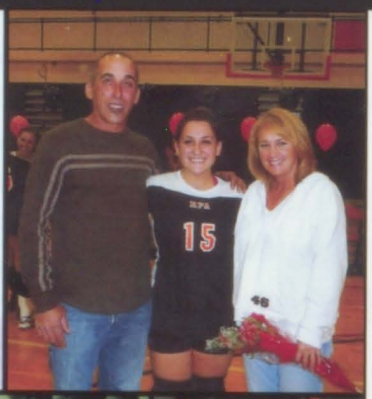
# Ryan Reilley

Ryan - you have brought us so much joy and happiness over the years! You are definitely a son and brother to be proud of! Always follow your dreams and stay true to yourself. You have a life of endless possibilities ahead of you!

We love you!
Mom, Dad, Hannah & Calla



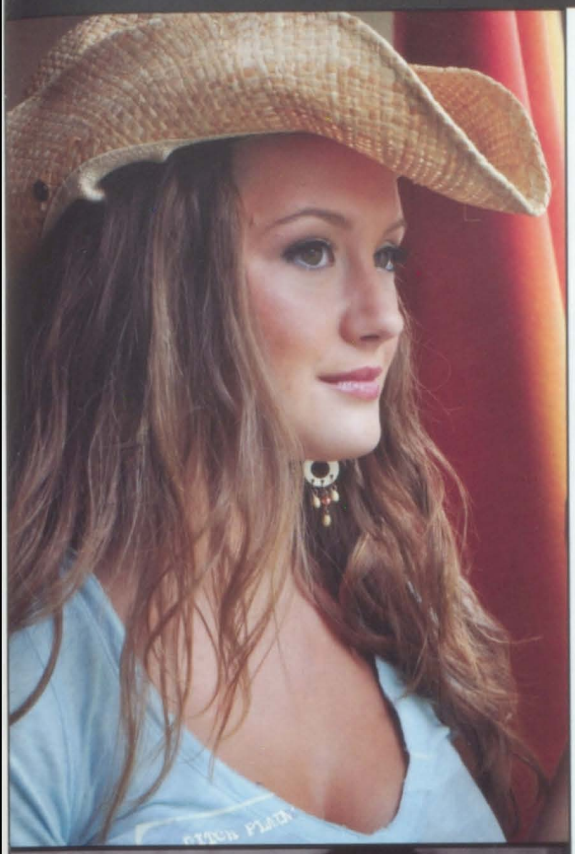
# Kelsi Sanzone



The Special Door
By Joanna Fuchs
It took a lot of work,
Time, and persistence, too,
To achieve the important goal
That you set out to do
That effort now pays off,
The world now offers more.
To you, new graduate,
It opens a special door.

Congratulations Kelsi,
you did it all; you made it through.
You took your first step toward
success. and we're so proud of you!
May god watch over you always.
We love you very much,
Mom, Dad, Kiersten, Arielle, Isabella
& Gabriella.

# Richelle Reynolds



**Princess Richelle**

**Once upon a time a young couple had a beautiful sweet baby "Princess Richelle!" She made their dreams come true. As a small child Richelle danced and sang her heart out! She has been a wonderful daughter, sister, granddaughter, niece, cousin and friend! Always doing her best at whatever she tried and making everyone beam with pride. Working hard at school is beginning to take her places already. Somehow time is moving swiftly and Richelle will venture out into the world with God's favor, we hope she goes beyond her dreams but knowing home is where your story begins and if she clicks her heels she can always be home! Whether it's gaining a tiara, a crown, a Doctorate Degree or fitting into that glass slipper, remember the most important thing when asked "what do you want to be with you grow up?" the answer is always; HAPPY!! We're your biggest fans and you're brightest STAR. Remember the sun is always shining above the darkest clouds. Live Happily ever after. Love you till the end of time! Mom, Dad, Stevie, Grandma, Aunt Marilyn & Uncle Bruce & all your family. The End**

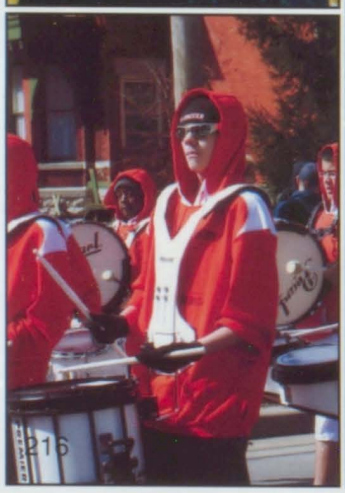
# Halie Schoff

Halie,
We are so unbelievably proud of you! Honestly it seems like yesterday that we brought you home and now you are graduating. You are an exceptional young lady with a wonderful future ahead of you. Always stay true to yourself and what you believe in. Follow your dreams because you have the strength and wisdom to make them come true.

We love you, congratulations and remember, we will always be there for you!!

Love,
Mom, Dad & Ty

# Derek Sexton

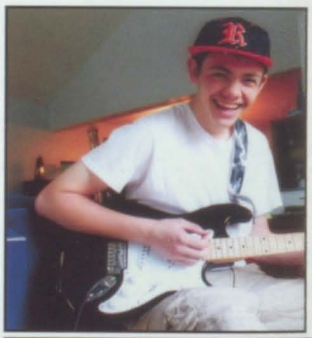


It's hard to believe that this chapter of your life (and ours) is about to come to a close, and another exciting one is about to begin. You have made us proud in so many ways! You've always put your heart in every ball game, your mind into your writing, and your soul into your music. Many would agree that you have great character, and a smile that lights up the room! Your hunger to be challenged will accomplish great things.

It is now time to write your own story, toot your own horn, march to the beat of your own drum, and show the world how D-Rocks! Always follow your dreams!

All Our Love,
Mom & Dad

P.S. If you follow your dreams to the other side of the world again, please write home more often!!!



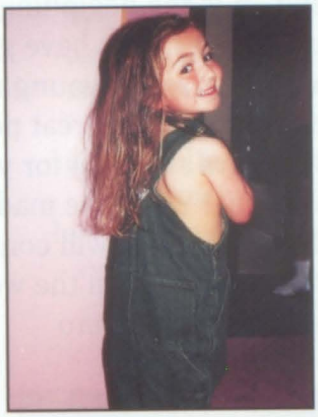
# Jacqueline Isabella Sirni

"....We do not cease praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding, to live in a manner worthy of the lord, so as to be fully pleasing, in every good work bearing fruit and growing in the knowledge of God, strengthened with every power, in accord with his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy."
Colossians 1: 9~11

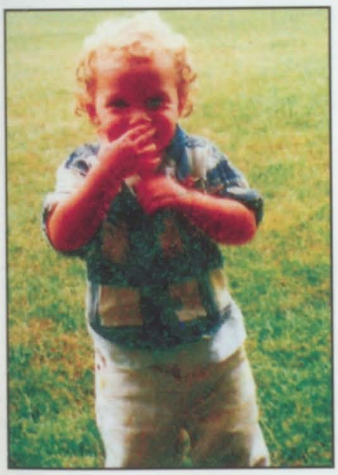
We love you and we are so proud of you, our beautiful, talented, and precious girl!

Make good choices, don't run with scissors, keep the Holy Spirit between you and anyone you dance with!

Mommy Daddy and Christy
(Bandit and Shadow, too!)



# Ryan Thayer

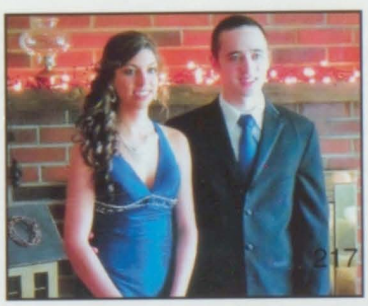


Congratulations Ry!
We are so proud of you Chirt!
Love Mom, Art, Josh Kelly, Alex, Sam & Jacob

Ryan we love you and are so proud!
Love,
Neema, Bumpa & Uncle Sean

# Natalie Streifert

Congratulations Natalie!
We're so proud of you for working hard, studying and being self-reliant. We will always be here.
God Bless
Love Mom, Dad and Jeffrey

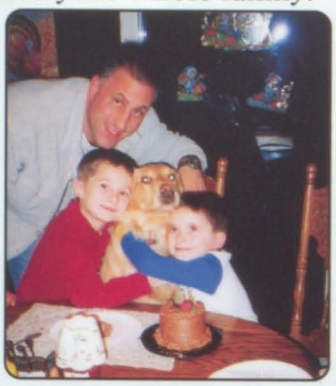


# Michael Tamburrino

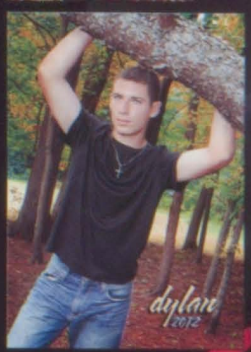
Graduation is not the end.. it is the beginning.
The world awaits all you have to offer. You have grown into such a thoughtful smart and creative young man. Always follow your hunger for knowledge, treat people with respect and kindness. Always stand up for your principles, even if you stand alone. You have made us all so proud of you and we know that you will continue to do great things and make a difference in the world.

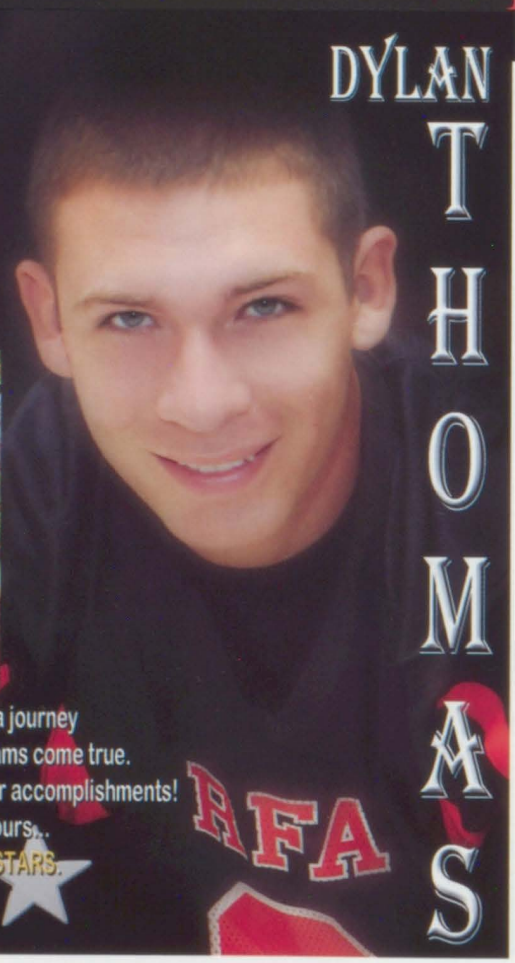
*"Fear is the opposite of faith"- Bono*

Love,
Mom, Dad, Ryan and your whole family!



# Michael Patrick Vanderhoof



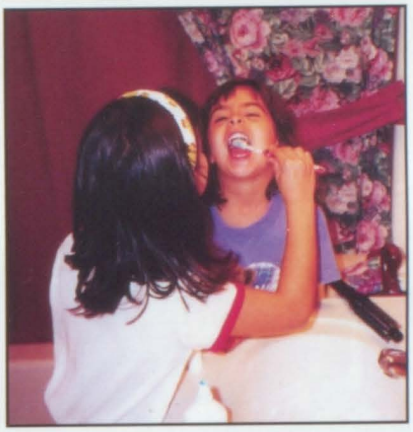

May the path you take be a journey
towards making your dreams come true.
We are so proud of all your accomplishments!
Remember the future is yours...
continue to reach for the STARS.
We Love You,
Mom & Dad

No one else can speak the words on your lips.
Drench yourself in words unspoken,
Live your life with arms wide open.
Today is where your book begins the rest is still
-Unwritten

Enjoy this next chapter
We are so proud of you!
All our love,
Mom, Dad and Marcus

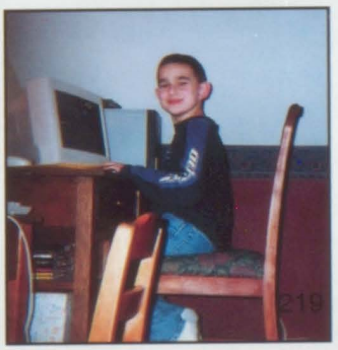
# Nicole Lynn Vanderjagt

We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished. Our wish for you is always believe in yourself. Follow your dreams and strive for happiness and success. Life isn't always going to be easy and remember your grandmother is looking down on you. We Believe in you!
We Love you
Mom, Dad, Trisha,
Grandma and Grandpa

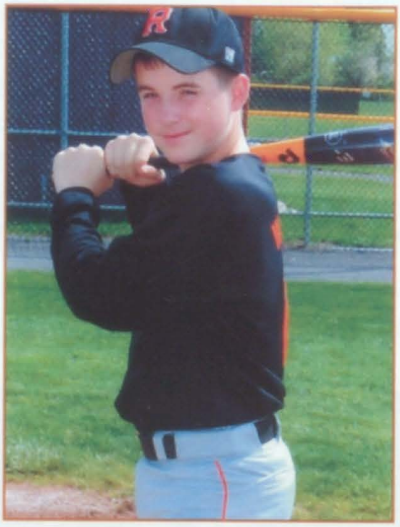


# Michael Verostek

Words can not express how proud we are of the wonderful person you have become. God has blessed us with a son who constantly fills us with joy and we are thankful for you everyday. As you begin your journey into adulthood, please know that you are always in our hearts and we love you more than you know.
Love,
Mom and Dad

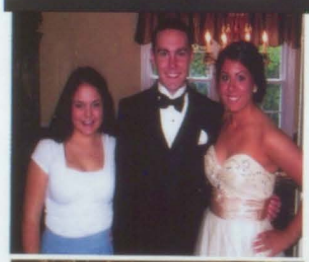


# Tommy Warcup



We love you and are very proud of you!!

Love,
Mom, Dad and Dylan

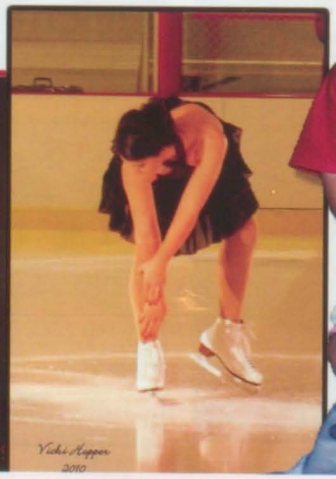


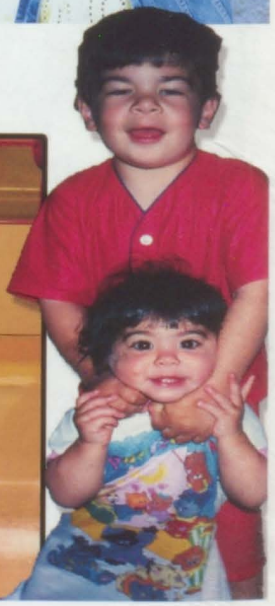
Melissa Ann Gilbert,

Excellent Student, Talented athlete, inspiring leader. Always challenging yourself to achieve higher. Competitive on the field. Graceful on the ice. Involved, dedicated and committed. A unique ability to always find the good, yes the best in people. Slow to judge, quick to forgive. Loyal and caring. Everyone's friend. Strong willed but always open to compromise. Persistent yet flexible. A silly heart, a sensitive soul. Always realistic, always a dreamer. We have shared the laughter, the tears, the victories, and the defeats. The foundation now complete, the future is yours to build upon. So as we look forward to the next chapter in your life, one thing remains true Melissa.

You have always made us proud.

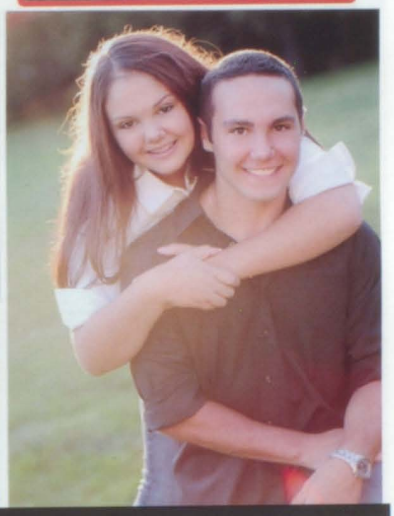
Our love always,
Mom, Dad & Michael





Jack Anthony Rotolo,
We will always need our son no matter what age we are. You have made us laugh.. made us proud..made us cry..hugged us tight..seen us fall..cheered us up.kept us going strong and driven us crazy at times! But, Jack you are a promise from God that we will have a friend forever!

We love you and wish you the very best in whatever your future holds! May God bless you and keep you safe.
''Don't stop believin', hold onto that feelin''-Journey
-Mom, Dad and Joelle



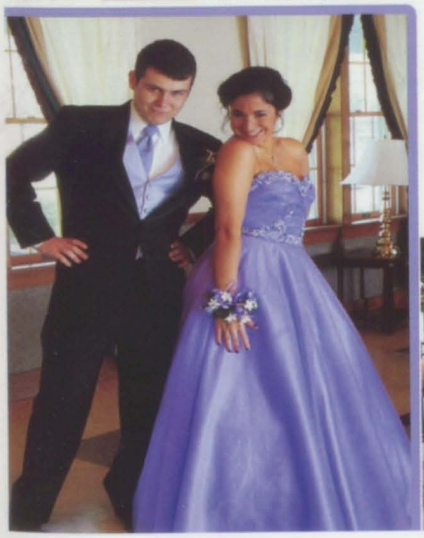
Carly Elizabeth Bovi,

Your high school days are over
Your college days ahead
The best is not behind you
It's in front of you instead.

Keep working like you have been,
Keeo that twinkle in your eye
And the door of opportunity
Will be yours someday, no lie.

Just trust your happy heart & soul,
Forget what others say and see
And you will be the woman
That God meant for you to be.

Love, Dad and Mom



# Jenna Theall

Jen,
Since the first day of kindergarten we have watched you march towards this day. You have grown up to be an incredible young lady and we want you to know how very proud we are of your accomplishments. We know you'll do well in whatever you choose to do. Always follow your heart and you will be the best you can be.
Love,
Mom, Dad,
John, Kay, and Dan

# Megan O'Connell

To Baby Girl...
From the moment we first held you in our arms,we knew you were something special..

...Celebrating today...

...Looking Forward to the future...

We love you and are so proud of all you have accomplished! Love you Forever and Always,
Mom and Dad

# Joel Wenndt

As you start your journey, we'll always be there for you. We love you and are so very proud of you.

Mom, Dad, Derek and Nicholas

## Congratulations

*To the Senior Class of 2012*

From,
Your Fellow Yearbook Staff

# Hannah Wasco

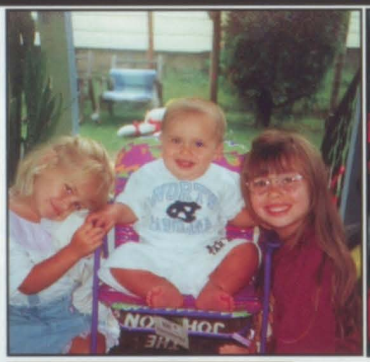
Hannah,
Keep your eyes and ears open
to the world of possibilities
that await you in the next
chapter of your life.
We know that you
will find your position.
Great things are awaiting you!
WE LOVE YOU
Dad, Mom, Kayla,
and Nicole

# Michael Grider

I'll Love you forever,
I'll Like you for always,
As long as I'm living
My baby you'll Be
-Robert Munsch

Michael- may the next chapter of your life
be as amazing as you are.
Always play proud
and enjoy the journey.
We love you to the moon and back.
xoxo
Love Mom and Dad

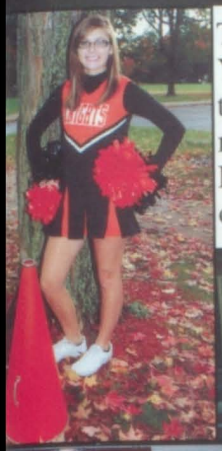
# Rebecca Johnson



Congratulations Becca!
We are very proud of you.
Good luck
with your new beginning.
Love,
Dad,Melissa,
Miranda & Gage

Dear Rebecca,
Wherever in life you may
go,always remember your heart
and continue to show off that
beautiful smile!
We love you,
Mom, Bill,Allaina,Vinny and
Shea
Ps. you will always be my
Becca Boo! XOXO

# Tiffany Mumpton



Tiffany,
You are the light to our life. A young lady, a friend, a mentor, There will be trials, tribulations, smiles & tears. That is what life is all about. You will master them all because of who you are. Our Daughter, Tiffany Louise. Dolly Parton wrote a song "A Coat of Many Colors", you remind me so much of that song. You have so many sides to you, character, self esteem personally & bullheaded-ness; that is why everyone loves & look up to you.
Good Luck on your journey through life!

Love, Mom & Dad

Spliff,

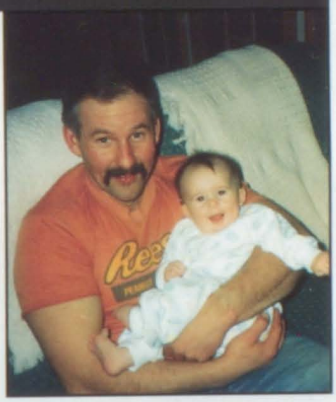
We're are so proud of you, continue your success & always stay positive. You are moving forward and coming closer to your dreams.

We love you!
Bob, Frank & Ryan

# Kerry Nobis

**Congratulations Kerry!**

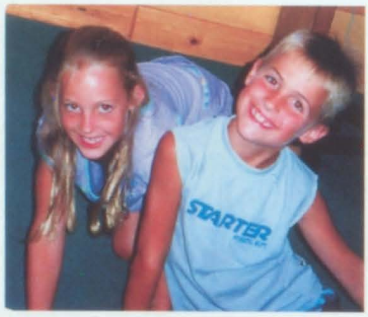
We are all so proud of you and all you have accomplished. You have a bright future ahead of you and we look forward to your continued education and all of your future endeavors. Please know how much you are loved and also remember...



1. Always tell the truth... No matter what...
2. It's not what happens to you that determines how far you go in life; it is how you handle what happens to you.
3. Success is not measured by what you do compared to what others do; it is measured by what you do with the ability God gave you.

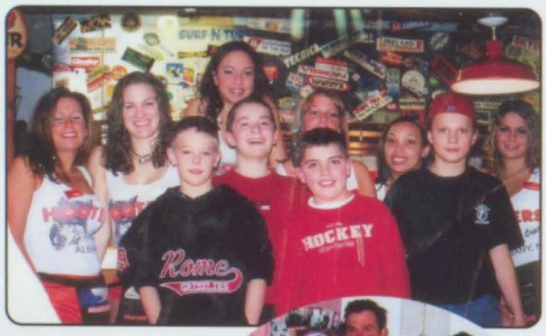
May God continue to bless and guide you today and always....143....
Love, Mom and Dad

# Mark Melioris

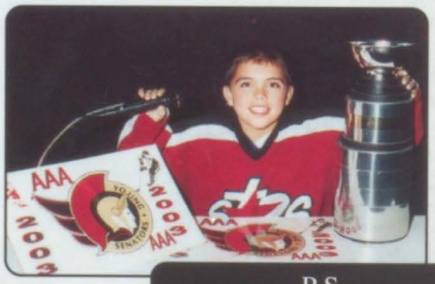


Mark,
We have watched you crawl, walk and finally run. Your portrait of life was started when you were born October 5th, 1993. What a fine young man you are becoming and we are EXTREMELY proud of you. Your smile lights up a room and your humor is second to none. Good luck in college and enjoy every day of what life has in store for you.
Love Ya
Mom, Dad, Joe and Megan

# Garrett Reilley

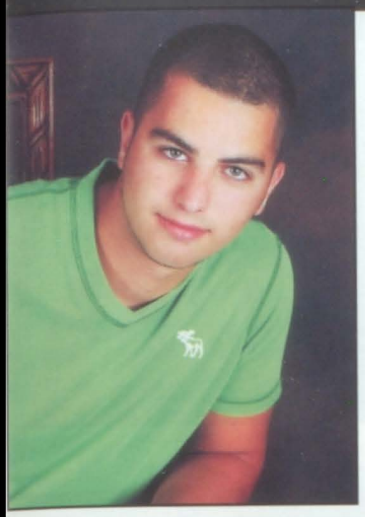


Gar- Mikey-
If you could imagine one of the greatest gifts anyone could ever receive, you would begin to understand what your presence in our life has meant to us. Your smile makes a brighter light everywhere! May you find happiness in every direction your paths take you. May you keep trying to reach your stars& may you never forget how wonderful you are!
Live, Love& Laugh xoxo
Dad, Mom,
TJ and Madisynn

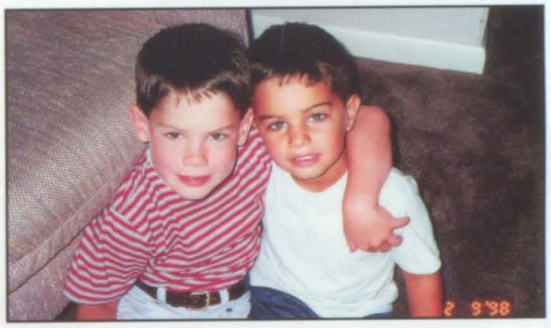


P.S..
Have I told you how much I love you today? Always remember I love you more than all the hockey sticks and stars in the world! Love forever,
Mom

# Alex Brement



Alex,
Our little boy has grown into such an amazing man. You have the kindest, most loving heart. You have come so far-you have worked hard to achieve success in school. We are so very proud of all you have accomplished and all that we know you will in the future. Always work to your full potential and reach for new goals. We have no doubt you will always reach them. We will always be here for you, and we will always "stand by you".
We love you more than words can say,
Mom, Dad, and Nick



# Kelsey Beach

Kelsey,
Congratulations! We are so proud of you. Remember, when you put your heart into it, you can accomplish anything! As you begin this new chapter in your life, be positive and be strong! We love you and we believe in you.

Love,
Mom, Dad
Emily, Abby
&Kevin

# Kaysie Gregory

My Dearest Daughter,

We are very proud of all your accomplishments and achievements, but the young women that you have become is the most impressive of all. You are a strong willed; highly motivated young women with the type of character that makes people stand up and take notice of you almost immediately.

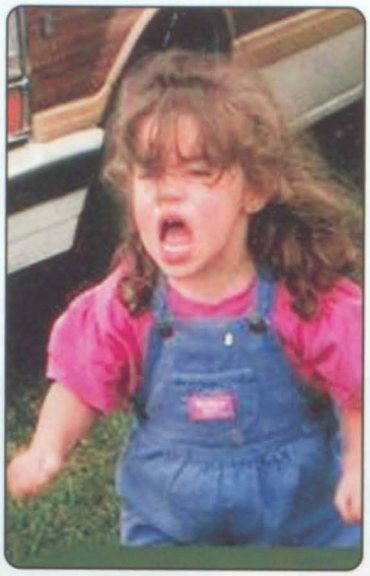
**"While one may encounter many defeats, one must not be defeated."**
-Maya Angelou

By no means are you perfect (close to it), but you have learned from your mistakes and best of all you are willing to be an individual. Never give up on yourself or the people who care for you. To say that you are loved is understating the obvious. Academics and athletics are things you do, it's not who you are as a person. It is your passion and zest for life that have become the foundation of your spirit.

**"I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."** -Maya Angelou

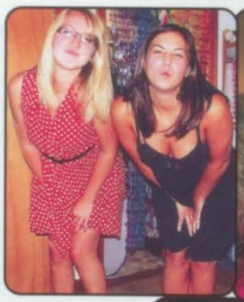
Thank you for being Kaysie Marie and standing up for your principles and values.

We love you Kaysie,Always and Forever... Mom & Dad



# Cassandra Nashton

Casey, Congratulations!! We love you more than you could ever imagine and are so very proud of the person you've grown up to be!



Faith is knowing all things are possible but not always easy.

Funny, smart, curious, patient, loving, caring, silly, crazy, and beautiful are just a few words to describe why everyone who knows you loves you soooo much! And your smile lights up our lives!

xxxxx, all of your crazy family

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# Richard Stapleton

Richard,
Congratulations!
We are VERY proud of you!

Love,
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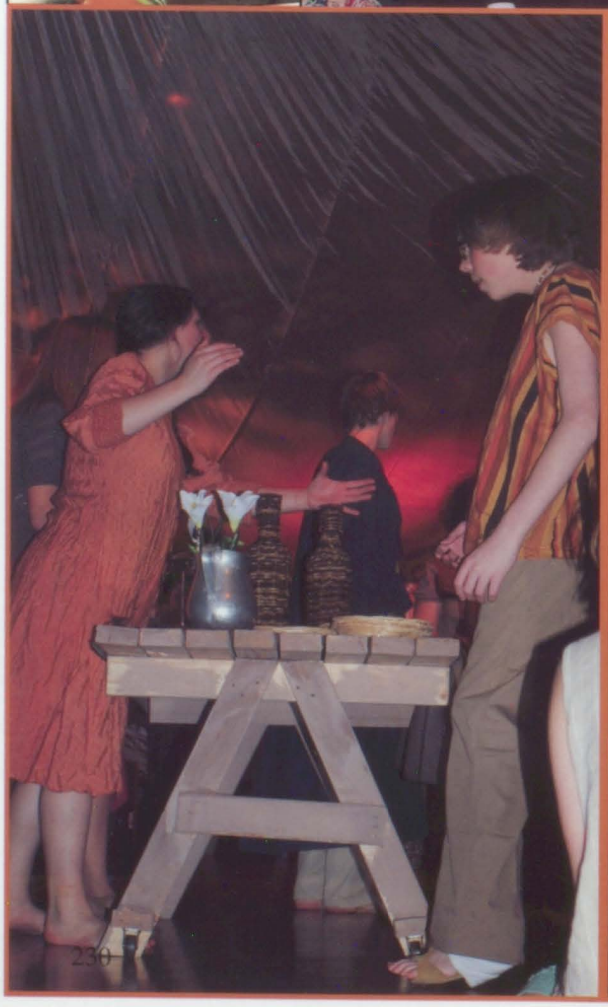
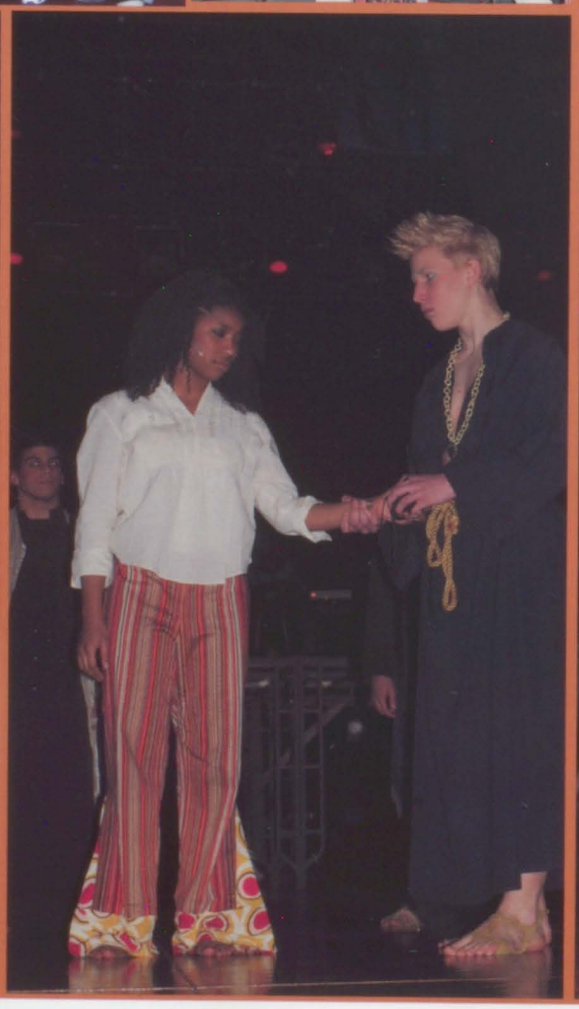
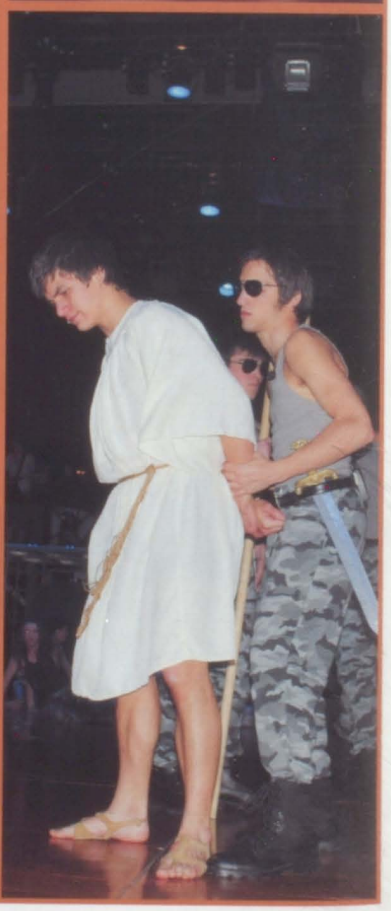
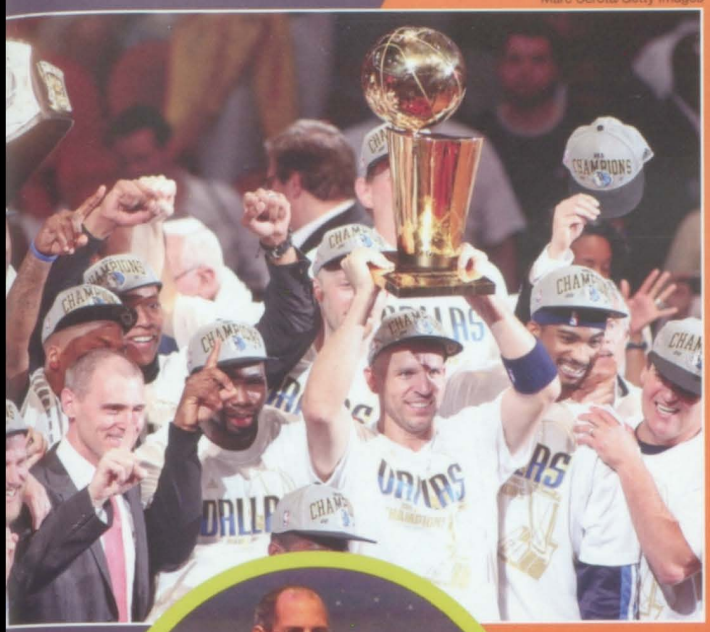
# Last look at scenes from Jesus Christ Superstar







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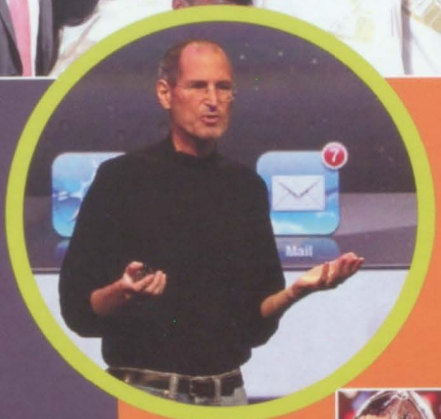


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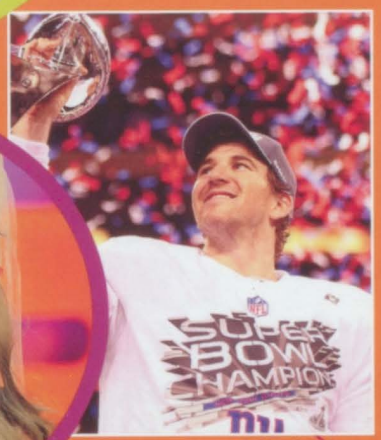


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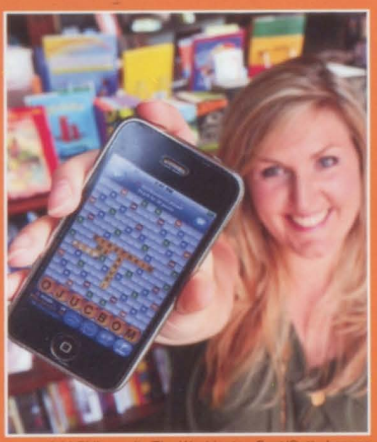

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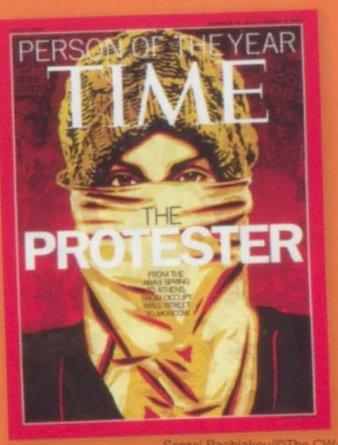


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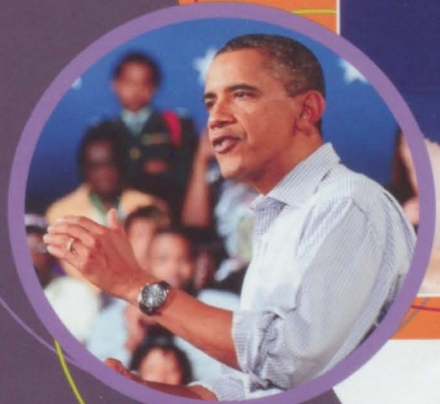

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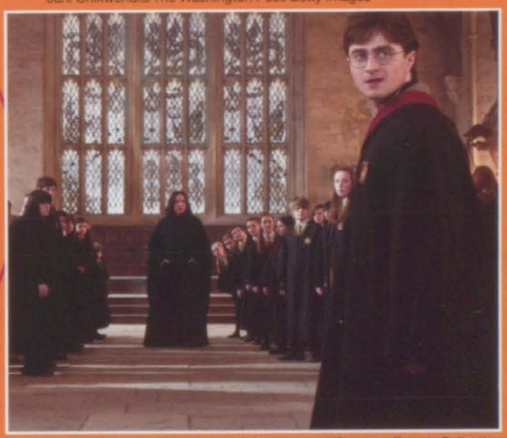

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### Occupy Wall Street Occupies Headlines

Outrage over bank bailouts and foreclosures sparks a protest movement that spreads from New York's Zuccotti Park to cities across the nation.

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### Space Shuttle Program Ends

The nation's budget woes force NASA to cancel a 30-year program that shuttles U.S. astronauts to and from the International Space Station.

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### You Are One in 7 Billion

In October, the United Nations expresses concern over the planet's food supply now that the world population has reached an all-time high of 7 billion.

# News

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### Statue of Liberty Turns 125

Lady Liberty celebrates her 125th anniversary. To mark the occasion, 125 immigrants from 46 countries are sworn in as U.S. citizens.

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### Halloween Blizzard Brings Tricky Snowfall

A surprise Nor'easter dumps record snowfalls of more than two feet in the Northeast, leaving millions stranded without power on Halloween.

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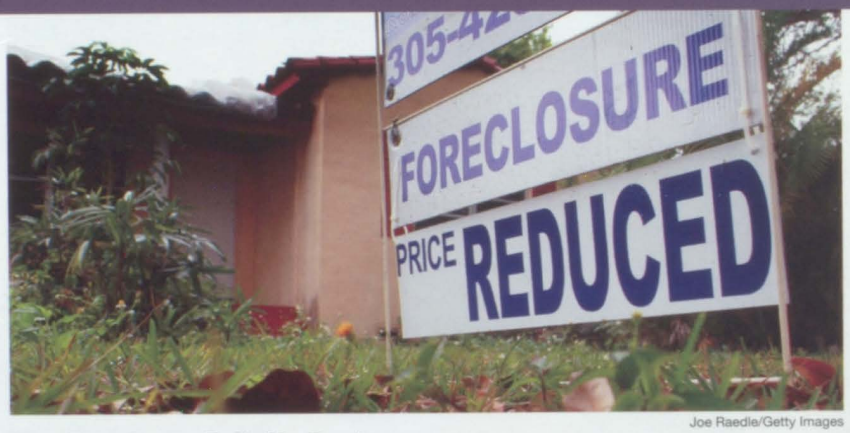
### Doctor Convicted in Michael Jackson's Death

Conrad Murray, Michael Jackson's personal physician, is convicted of involuntary manslaughter for his role in the pop star's anesthetic overdose.

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### New Foreclosure Relief Is Coming

The government passed a near unanimous 26 billion dollar mortgage settlement, supported by 49 of the 50 states. The settlement is geared towards those affected by the housing crash that now owe more on their houses than they're actually worth.

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### Arab Spring Extends Through Fall

Middle East regimes topple with the death of Libya's Muammar Gaddafi and the ouster of Egypt's Hosni Mubarak and Tunisian dictator Zine El Abidine Ben Ali.

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### Hurricane Irene Engulfs New England

Hurricane Irene unleashes torrential rains on New England, resulting in washed-out roads and swollen rivers. One woman is swept away and drowned.

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### Cruise Ship Capsizes

The *Costa Concordia* runs aground off the Italian coast near the Isola del Giglio, resulting in numerous casualties.

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### Death of Bin Laden Catches Nation's Attention

The United States watched as news came in about the death of Osama Bin Laden, following the Seal Team 6 raid on the terrorist leader's Pakistan compound.

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### U.S. Troops Leave Iraq

The withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq ends in December, concluding eight years of war and occupation.

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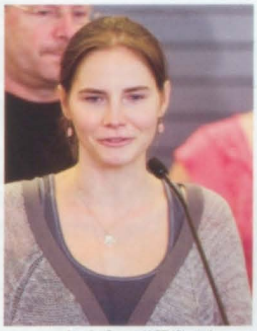
### Greek Economy Endangers European Stability

European nations offer bailout loans and urge austerity measures to keep the Greek debt crisis from damaging the Euro-Zone economy.



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### Amanda Knox Acquitted

Italian courts overturn the murder conviction of American college student Amanda Knox. She returns home to Seattle after serving four years in prison.

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### Legislators Take Bullying Seriously

To address increasing concern over harassment in schools, Michigan becomes the 47th U.S. state to pass laws that are written to combat bullying.

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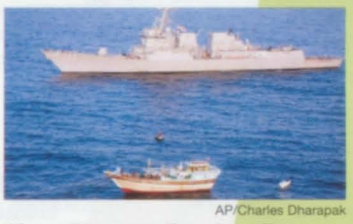
### Obama Introduces Jobs Act

To boost the sluggish economy, President Obama presents Congress with the American Jobs Act, a bill designed to put citizens back to work.



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### Navy Rescues Iranian Crew from Pirates

In the North Arabian Sea, the USS *Kidd*, a U.S. Navy warship, rescues the crew of an Iranian fishing boat from Somali pirates.

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### Republican Hopefuls Debate

A series of nationally televised debates narrows the field as candidates vie for the 2012 Republican presidential nomination.

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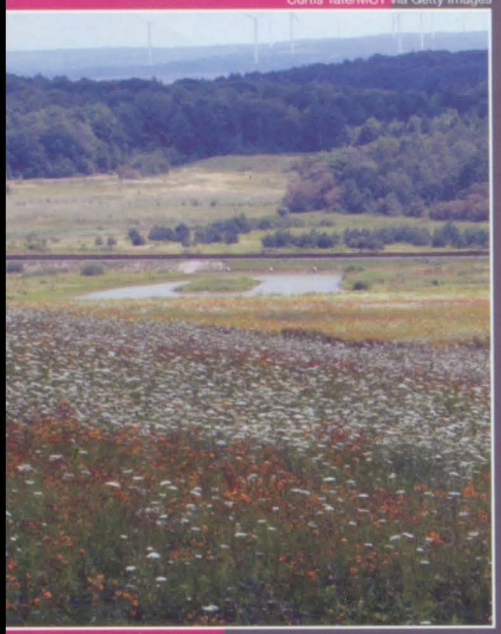

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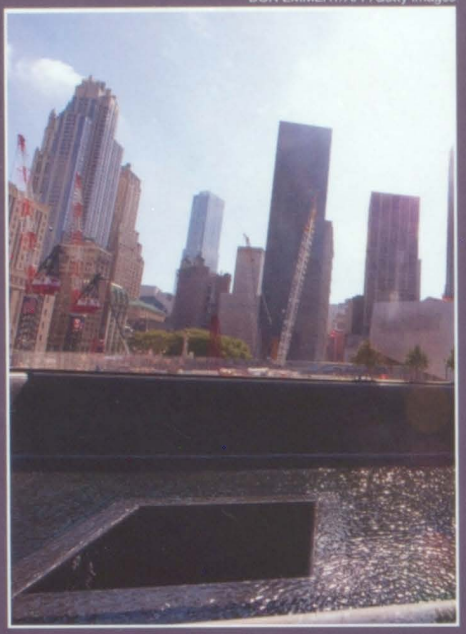

New York

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# The Nation Remembers 9/11

**Washington, D.C.**

On the tenth anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, memorial events are held in New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C.

# Give & Take

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## Watson Gets a Government Job

After trouncing human *Jeopardy* champions, Watson, the IBM supercomputer, analyzes pharmaceutical patent data for the National Institutes of Health.

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## Post Office Posts Losses

After sustaining a record $14.4 billion loss for its 2012 fiscal year, the U.S. Post Office asks consultants to advise them about restructuring.

KAREN BLEIER/AFP/Getty Images

## Coupon Clipping Continues

Coupons are a lifestyle trend as consumers emulate super-thrifty shoppers featured on TV shows like *Extreme Couponing* on TLC.

Jesse Tinsley/The Spokesman-Review/AP Photo

## School Buildings Go Green

States are adopting green building practices so that school buildings can save energy and use fewer resources.

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## Consumers Trash Junk Mail

Households across the nation are taking steps to reduce the paper waste of unwanted junk mail from catalog companies and advertisers.

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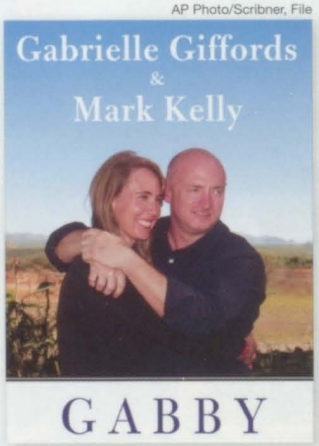


## Gabby Giffords Pens Memoir

One year after she was shot by a would-be assassin, Representative Gabby Giffords and her husband publish a memoir.

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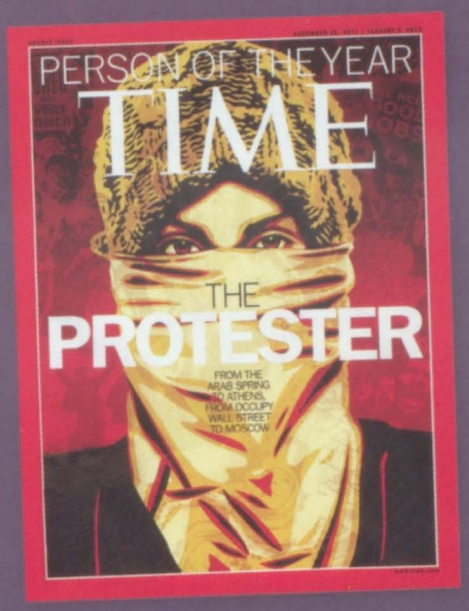
### Tuscaloosa Survives Tornado

When a tornado hits the town of Tuscaloosa, these University of Alabama students seek shelter in a bathtub under a mattress.




### "The Protester" Is Person of the Year

As demonstrations in Tunisia, Egypt, Libya, Syria, and New York make headlines, *Time* magazine names "The Protester" as 2011's Person of the Year.

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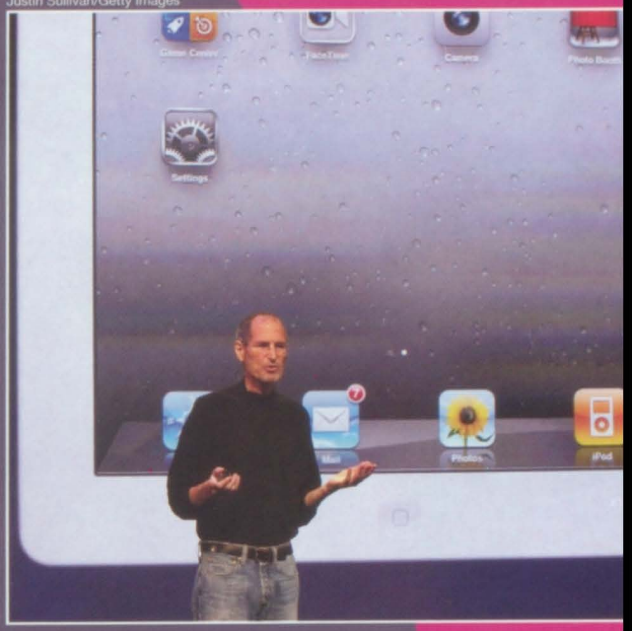

### Steve Jobs Dies

Apple co-founder Steve Jobs, a pioneer in the personal computing and consumer electronics fields, dies at age 56 of pancreatic cancer.

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### Women Leaders Share Nobel Peace Prize

Liberian peace activist Leymah Gbowee, Liberian President Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, and Tawakkol Karman of Yemen all receive the Nobel Peace Prize.

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### New LED Lightbulbs Shine for Decades

Pricey, Energy Star-rated LED bulbs debut in stores and outshine compact fluorescent bulbs, lasting five times longer.

AP Photo/Mark Stehle

### New Standards Regulate Fracking Practices

Regulators announce national anti-pollution standards to oversee the natural gas industry's practice of hydraulic fracturing, or fracking.

Lance Cpl. Emmanuel Ramos/ Marine Corps Base Quantico Public Affairs/AP Photo

### YouTube Request Snags Timberlake

Corporal Kelsey de Santis successfully asks Justin Timberlake to be her date for the Marine Corps Ball by posting a video on YouTube.

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### Joplin Mall Is Makeshift School

After Missouri's Joplin High School is destroyed by a tornado, students attend class at nearby Northpark Mall.

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### London Builds an Eco-savvy Olympic Park

Green building practices transform former industrial land into London's Olympic Park for the 2012 Summer Games.

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### Airlines Fly Toward Greener Fuels

Seeking to decrease greenhouse gas emissions and shrink their carbon footprint, passenger jets are starting to switch to new bio-fuels.

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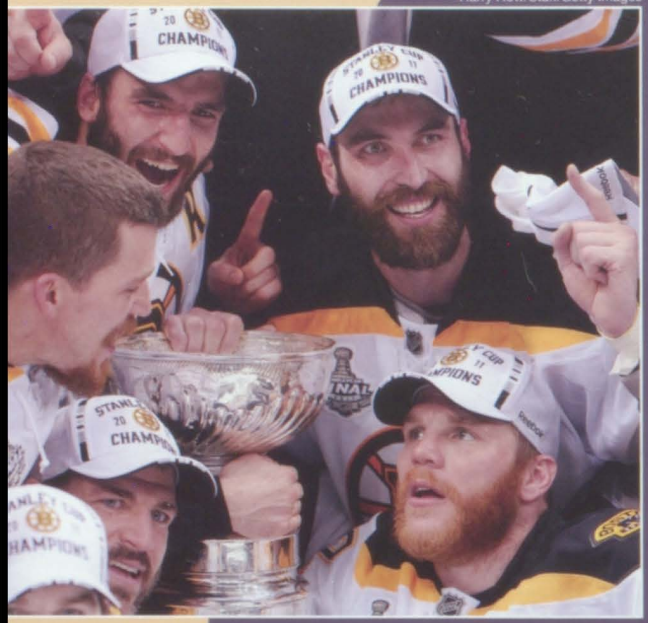

### Boston Bruins Bear Down

Following their first Stanley Cup win in 39 years, the Boston Bruins keep the momentum going strong with a solid 2011-2012 season.

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### Skaters Gather in Brazil

Lincoln Ueda, Tony Hawk and other world-class skateboarders headline a "Jump" festival at Ibirapuera gym in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

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### Manny Pacquiao Holds His Title

In Las Vegas, WBO Welterweight champ Manny Pacquiao successfully defends his title against Juan Manuel Márquez.

# Sports

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### Teen Is Youngest LPGA Tour Winner

Lexi Thompson, age 16, wins her first LGPA tournament, the Navistar LPGA Classic, making her the youngest winner in the history of the LPGA Tour.

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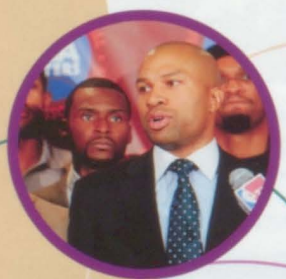
### St. Louis Cardinals Win World Series

With a win over the Texas Rangers in seven games, the St. Louis Cardinals take home their 11th World Series victory.



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### Basketball Players End Strike

The 2011 NBA lockout ends as basketball team owners and players strike a deal. The start of the season is delayed until Christmas.

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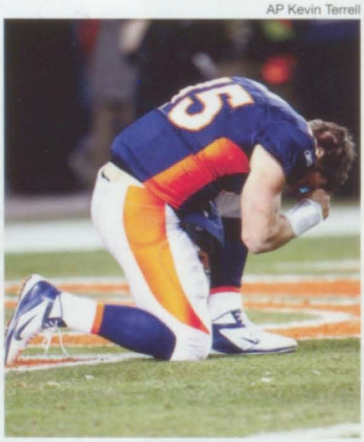
### Verlander Receives Cy Young Award

Justin Verlander of the Detroit Tigers is American League MVP and winner of the 2011 Cy Young Award.

AP Kevin Terrell



### Talking Tebow

Sports announcers and fans debate over Denver Broncos quarterback Tim Tebow, an athlete who wears his faith on the sleeve of his football jersey.

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### Minnesota Lynx Net WNBA Championship

The Minnesota Lynx defeat the Atlanta Dream in three games to claim their first-ever WNBA championship.

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### First Lady Gets a Kick Out of Fitness

Members of the U.S. Women's National Soccer Team join Michelle Obama for a Let's Move soccer clinic on the south lawn of the White House.

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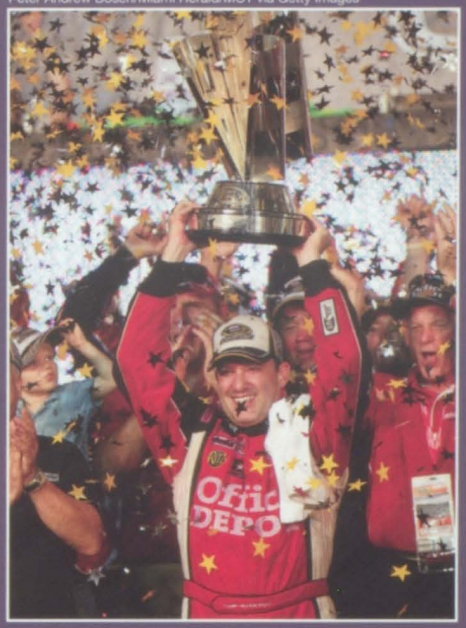

### Tony Stewart Races to NASCAR Victory

In the season's final race of the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series at Homestead-Miami Speedway, Stewart edges out Carl Edwards in a tiebreaker.

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### Stosur Wins U.S. Open

Australian tennis player Samantha Stosur defeats Serena Williams to win the women's singles championship at the U.S. Open.

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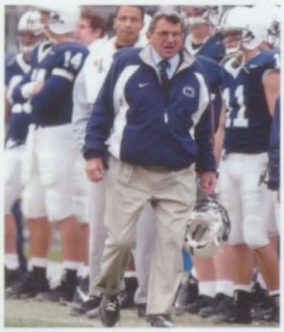
### Baylor Gets Its First Heisman Winner

Robert Griffin III, starting quarterback for the Baylor University Bears, is named the winner of the Heisman Trophy award.



### JoePa Loses His Battle with Lung Cancer

Joe Paterno, the beloved college football coach who led the Penn State Nittany Lions to a record-breaking 409 victories, dies at age 85.

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### *Sports Illustrated* Honors Coaches

The Sportswoman and Sportsman of the Year awards go to college basketball coaches Pat Summitt and Mike Krzyzewski.

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### New York Wins Super Bowl Trophy

Eli Manning leads the New York Giants to their fourth Super Bowl triumph, narrowly defeating the New England Patriots 21 to 17.

Marc Serota/Getty Images

### Dallas Mavericks Beat the Heat

The Dallas Mavericks ice the Miami Heat dream team and LeBron James by winning the 2011 NBA World Championship in Game 6.

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### Women Gymnasts Garner Gold

The U.S. women's team brings home gold medals from the Artistic Gymnastics World Championships in Tokyo.

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### Kelly Slater Rules the Waves

By winning top honors at the Billabong Pro Tahiti competition, surfer Kelly Slater captures his 47th elite World Tour victory.

Kevin Winter/Getty Images for Latin Recording Academy

### Usher on the Upswing

Usher wins the AMA Favorite Male Artist award, performs with Justin Bieber for NBC's *Christmas in Rockefeller Center* and reunites with Ludacris.

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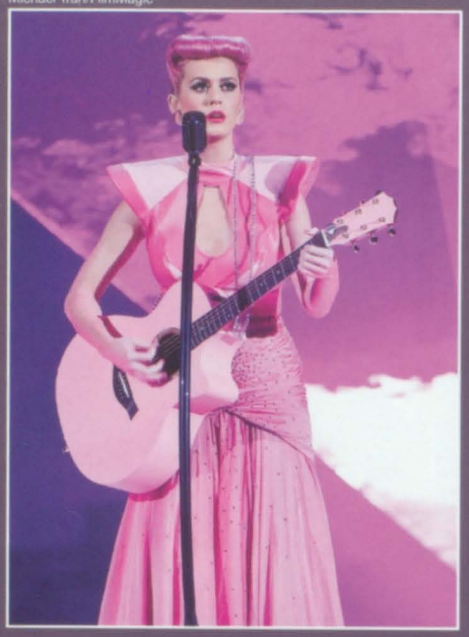

### Katy Perry Stays on Top

Katy Perry is the year's most-played artist on the radio, with five Number One singles. She sells two million albums and 24 million digital downloads.

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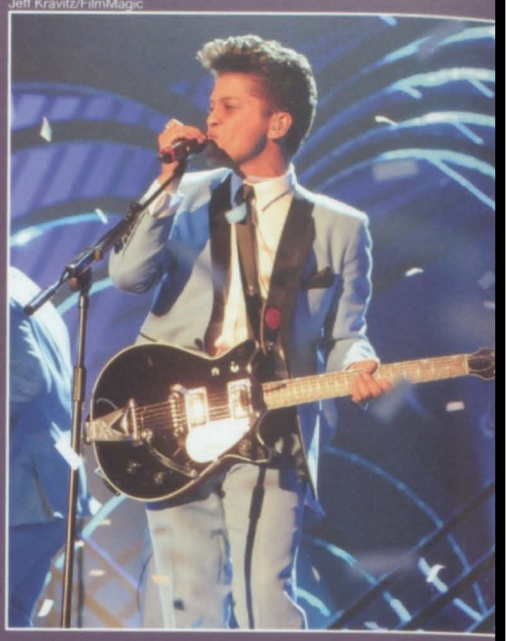

### The Rising Star, Bruno Mars

Singer-songwriter Bruno Mars receives six Grammy nominations, an AMA Award for best Pop/Rock Male Artist, and sings with the Muppets on *Sesame Street*.

# Music

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### Kanye's Lucky Seven

Hip-hop superstar and producer Kanye West receives a total of seven 2012 Grammy nominations, more than any other artist for the season.

Mark Humphrey/AP Photo

### Lady A. Owns the Night

Nashville's Lady Antebellum hits the country charts with "Just a Kiss," from their third studio album, *Own the Night*.

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### Adele Turns 21

Despite vocal cord trouble that forces her to suspend touring, Adele is Billboard's Number One artist of 2011 and her album, *21*, is the year's top seller.

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### Hot Chelle Rae Is Getting Hotter

Hot Chelle Rae signs with RCA, wins a Best New Artist award from the American Music Association and releases the band's second album, *Whatever*.

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### Whitney Houston Dies at Age 48

The music industry and fans alike were stunned about the death of music icon, Whitney Houston. Her body was found unresponsive on Saturday, February 11th in her Los Angeles hotel room.

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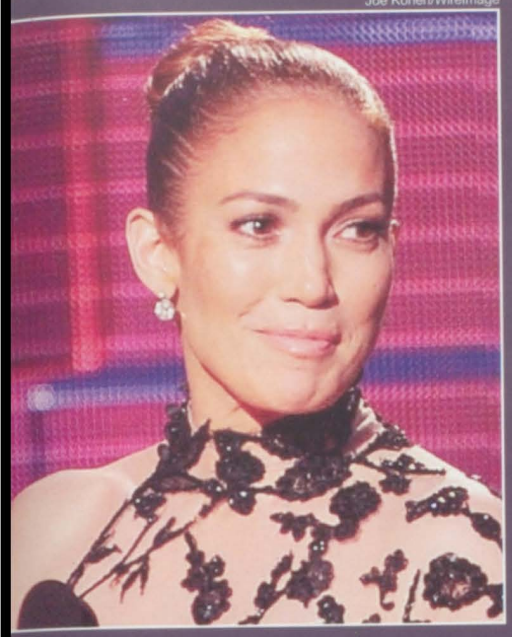

### Jennifer Lopez Goes Solo

After the tabloids cover her split from husband Marc Anthony, Jennifer Lopez wins a Favorite Latin Artist Award from the American Music Awards.

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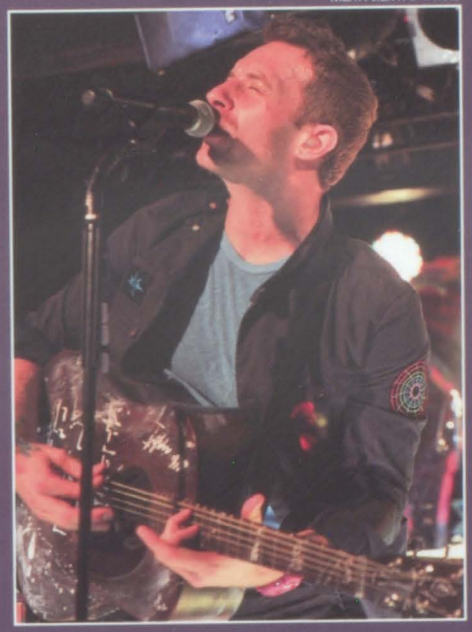

### Coldplay Plays It Cool

Coldplay releases its fifth album, *Mylo Xyloto*, and streams a concert in Spain as a live webcast on YouTube.

Press Association/AP Images

### Gaga Visits Obama

Lady Gaga drops in on President Obama to lend her support to his anti-bullying campaign, according to a White House senior advisor's blog.

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### Maroon 5 Moves Like Winners

Maroon 5 wins an AMA Pop/Rock Favorite Band award. The cast of *Glee* covers the band's hit single, "Moves Like Jagger."

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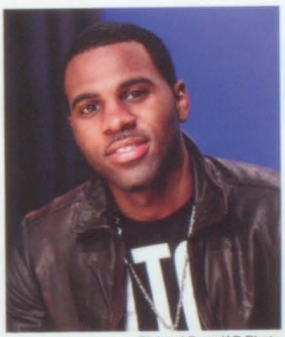
### Taylor Made Good

Singer-songwriter Taylor Swift releases her *Speak Now World Tour: Live* album and is named CMA Entertainer of the Year.



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### Jason Derulo Recovers from Fracture

Singer-songwriter Jason Derulo lands in the hospital and cancels a planned UK tour after fracturing his neck while rehearsing acrobatic stage moves.

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### The Merry Band Perry

Siblings Kimberly, Neil, and Reid Perry of The Band Perry celebrate a Platinum album, three CMA Awards and a Grammy nomination.

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### Natalie Grant Gets Grammy Nod

Singer Natalie Grant receives a Grammy nomination for Best Gospel/Contemporary Christian Music Performance, for "Alive (Mary Magdalene)."

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### Casting Crowns Hit the Town

The acclaimed contemporary Christian rock group, Casting Crowns, launches a tour to promote its latest album, *Come to the Well*.

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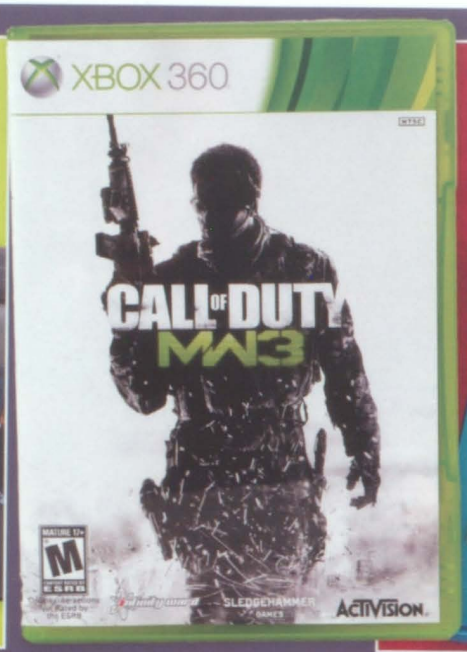
### Foster the People Pumps Up

More than a year after the catchy single's release, "Pumped Up Kicks," by Foster the People, finally reaches the top of the singles chart.

**Polaroid Pictures to Go**
The Pogo instant digital camera from Polaroid prints its own snapshots to share in less than a minute.




***Call of Duty* Earns $400 Million**
The debut of *Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3* is the most successful game launch in history, according to Activision Blizzard, Inc.

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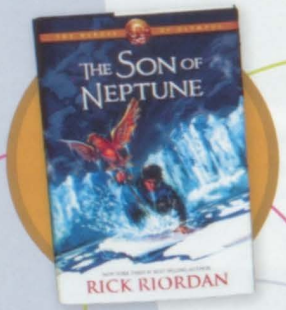
**No Glasses Required for Nintendo "3DS"**
The newest Nintendo 3DS device features a no-glasses 3D screen and allows players to record 3D video footage.

# Entertainment

***Super Mario 3D Land* Conquers a New Dimension**
Developed for the Nintendo 3DS, *Super Mario 3D Land* receives rave reviews for its addictive 3D experience.

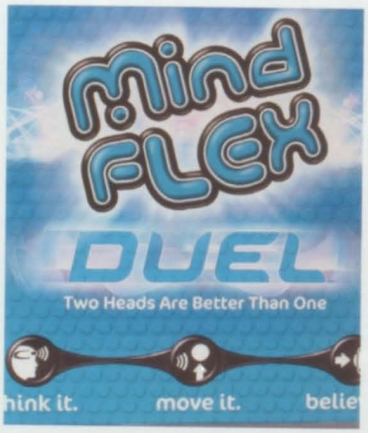
***Angry Birds* Goes Mobile**
The humorous and addictive computer game, *Angry Birds*, is one of the most successful mobile apps in the world.




**Readers Welcome *The Son of Neptune***
Troubled teenage demigod Percy Jackson returns for more adventure in the second book of the *Heroes of Olympus* series.

***Just Dance 3* Steps Out**
Ubisoft releases *Just Dance 3*, featuring singles by Katy Perry, Cee Lo Green, Britney Spears, Scissor Sisters, and The Black Eyed Peas.

***Madden NFL 12* Scores Big**
EA Sports adds non-NFL players like female quarterback Hope Bromley to the free agents in *Madden NFL 12*, the newest edition of the popular video game.




***Mindflex Duel* Is a Brainy Game**
Mindflex Duel players wear special, brain wave-sensing headsets to steer foam balls through the air and around obstacles.

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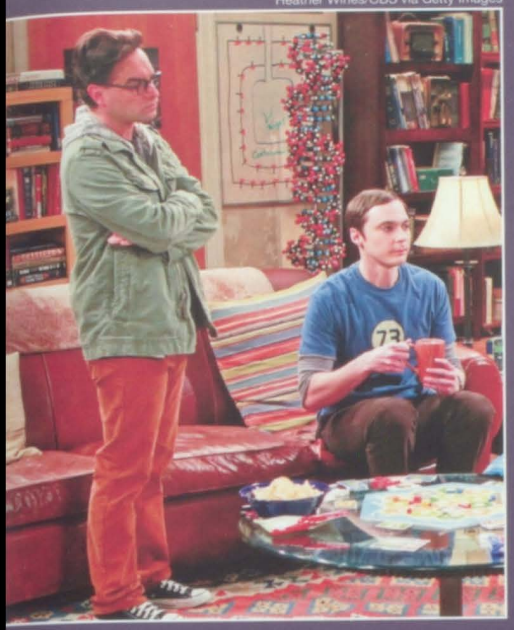

### More Bang for the Buck

*The Big Bang Theory*, a popular sitcom about geeky research scientists and the women in their lives, is in its fifth season.

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### Missing Michael at the Office

Critics and fans tune into the eighth season of *The Office* to see how the ensemble cast fares after the departure of star Steve Carrell.

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### Bewitching Teens Cast a Spell

When Cassie Blake moves to a small town in Washington State, the teen is invited to join a coven of witches in *The Secret Circle*.

# Television

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### Victors in *Storage Wars*

In southern California, abandoned storage lockers are sold at auction to competing buyers who hope to find hidden treasure in *Storage Wars* on A&E.

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### X Marks The Spot

Simon Cowell is set to kick off season two of the U.S. version of the *X-Factor*. This year's competition will feature new judges to replace Paula Abdul and Nicole Sherzinger, as well as a new host.

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### NBC Finds Its Voice

Christina Aguilera, Cee Lo Green, Adam Levine and Blake Shelton compete to coach unknown singers to victory in the reality talent show, *The Voice*.

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### Big Stars on Small Screen

*Mike & Molly*, a sitcom about an obese couple who start dating after they meet at an Overeaters Anonymous meeting, is in its second season.

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### Vermin, Beware

An eccentric Louisiana exterminator works the front lines of his family business in the reality show *Billy the Exterminator*.

### CBS Captures Viewers *Interest*

A mysterious billionaire scientist hires a former CIA officer to help him prevent crimes before they occur. The crime drama, *Person of Interest*, is a hit for CBS.

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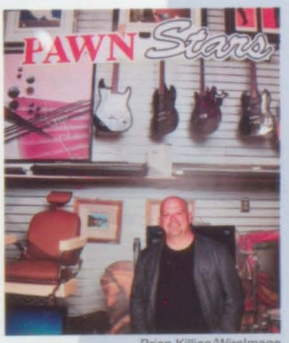


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### Playing the Pawn

The History Channel has a hit with *Pawn Stars*, featuring the Harrison family and selected treasures from their Las Vegas pawn shop.

AP Photo/Lionsgate

### Lionsgate Releases *The Hunger Games*

Jennifer Lawrence and Woody Harrelson star in *The Hunger Games*, a film adaptation of the popular science fiction novel.

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### A Winning Season

Brad Pitt and Jonah Hill star in *Moneyball*, based on the true story of the Oakland Athletics' record-breaking 2002 season.

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### A Dark and Stormy Knight

Batman (Christian Bale) returns to Gotham to uncover the truth about Selina Kyle (Anne Hathaway) in *The Dark Knight Rises*.

# Movies

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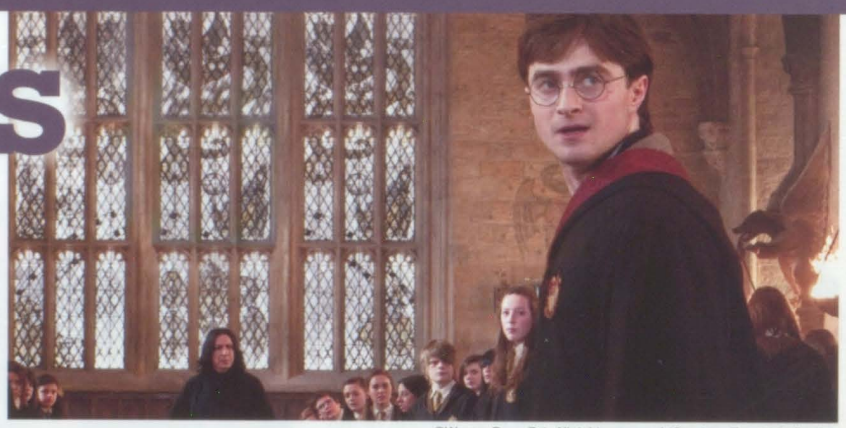
### The Boys Are Back

Robert Downey, Jr. and Jude Law return as Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson in Guy Ritchie's *Sherlock Holmes: A Game of Shadows*.



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### Harry Potter Series Finale on Home Video

After inspiring moviegoers to camp out for the first midnight showings, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2* comes to home video.

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### Agent J Returns

Josh Brolin joins Will Smith, Tommy Lee Jones and some seriously sinister aliens in the long-awaited science fiction comedy sequel, *Men in Black 3*.

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### *Chronicle* Flies into Theaters

Three students discover they have superpowers far beyond their understanding. As their powers grow, so does their dark side to use them to their advantage. Their lives take unexpected turns as they try to deal with the unexplainable changes.

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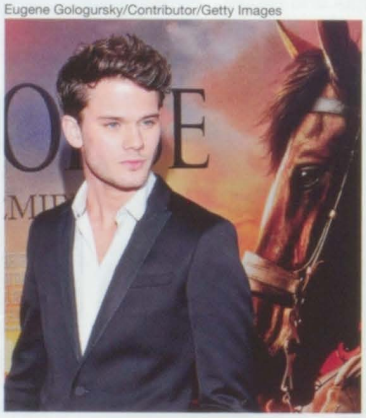

### *War Horse* Sells Tickets and Tissues

When a boy's beloved thoroughbred is sold to an Army captain on the eve of World War I, a deeply moving drama is set in motion in *War Horse*.

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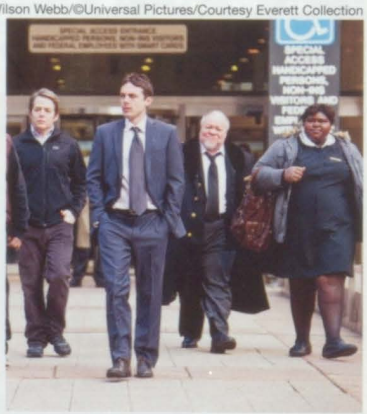

### The Revenge of the 99 Percent

When the boss squanders their retirement savings, the little people get even. Ben Stiller and Eddie Murphy star in the crime comedy, *Tower Heist*.

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### Animal House

Matt Damon stars as a well-meaning widower who brings his young children to live in a rundown zoo in *We Bought a Zoo.*

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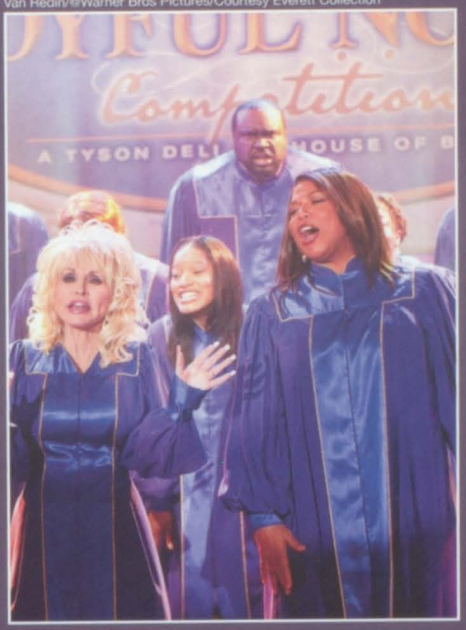


### Make Some Noise

Queen Latifah and Dolly Parton star in *Joyful Noise,* about conflicts within a Georgia church choir as the group prepares for a national competition.

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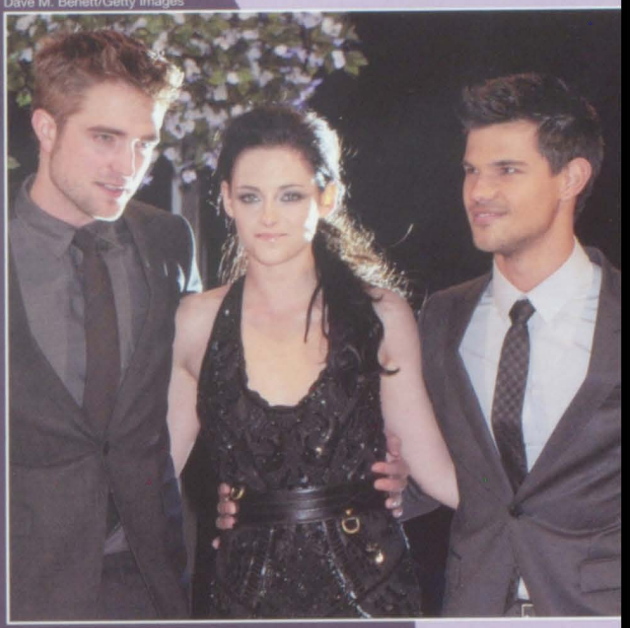

### Breaking Dawn Breaks Records

*The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn – Part 1,* the fourth installment in the series, earns $500 million in its first 12 days in theaters.

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### A Boy and His Dog

Steven Spielberg and Peter Jackson collaborate on the dazzling 3-D, performance-capture film, *The Adventures of Tintin: The Secret of the Unicorn.*

AP Photo/ Frank Connor, Disney Enterprises

### Live Action Adventure Is Out of This World

Disney delights sci-fi fans with *John Carter,* which chronicles the adventures of a Confederate captain who is drawn into conflict on another planet.

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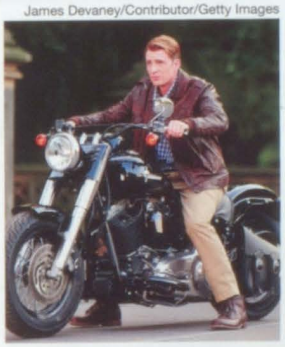

### Superheroes Save the World

A cast of superstars portray Marvel Comics superheroes recruited to battle an evil villain and his army in the theatrical release, *The Avengers.*

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### Heartstrings in Hawaii

George Clooney plays Matt King, who loses his wife but keeps his land and draws closer to his two young daughters in *The Descendants.*

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### *Super 8* Is Super Spooky

After teens witness a train accident in a small Ohio town, strange occurrences lead to extraterrestrial suspense in *Super 8.*

### *The Help* Is a Hit

In the early 1960s, an idealistic, Caucasian writer wants to write about the struggles of the African-American maids who serve her peers in *The Help.*

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### Hoodies Are Classic Casuals

Comfortable, cozy and laid-back hoodie sweatshirts convey an easy goixng attitude toward style.

### Equestrian Style Steps Out

The classic, English-style riding boot, worn with skirts or tucked-in skinny jeans, is one of the strongest footwear trends for fall and winter.

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### Pandora Opens Beaded Bracelet Craze

Pandora charm bracelets from Denmark bring design-your-own style and sparkling self-expression to the jewelry store.

# Trends

### Energy Drinks as Teen Fuel Both Popular and Controversial

The caffeine and sugar in popular but controversial energy drinks fuel teens to help stay awake for late-night study sessions and socializing.

### From Locker Room to Classroom

As temperatures drop, comfortable, cozy, high-performance sweat pants make the leap from gym class to everywhere-wear.

### Cardigans Go Retro

A modern adaptation of the mid-century classic cardigan adds an extra layer of color, warmth, and style.

### Shaggy Chic

Tall, fringed suede boots add a touch of irreverent, hippie chic to short skirts, leggings, or tucked-in jeans.

### Aviator Shades Are Retro Chic

A new generation embraces the iconic shades of the 1970s. Metal-rimmed, aviator-style sunglasses make a stylish comeback.

### Layers Make the Look

Layering is one of the strongest trends for fall and winter. Mixing textures and lengths, like a cropped jacket over a long top, creates looks that are both cozy and cool.

### Mismatched Socks Are No Accident

Bending the rules is always in style. Students express their creativity by mixing brightly colored, patterned, mismatched socks.

### The Time Is Right for the Neon Watch

One of the must-have accessories for both guys and girls is a big, chunky watch in bright, neon hue.

### Stepping Out in Ballet Flats

Cute, comfortable, versatile ballet flats go with just about everything from school outfits to party attire.

### Yogurt Goes Greek

Greek-style yogurt, which is creamier and less sour than ordinary yogurt, adds more delicious options to the dairy case.

### Nail Polish Crackles

Ordinary manicures get contrast, color and texture with special, crackle-effect topcoat formulas.

### Boy Style

Whether they're boot cut, skinny or loose fit, jeans are still the focus of today's style. Just throw on your favorite tee or hoodie and you're good to go!

### Music Goes to Your Head

Dr. Dre introduces high-performance, over-ear headphones that cancel outside noise and enhance the listening experience.

### Faux Is a Go

The posh look and plush feel of faux fur inspires designers to go wild. Fabulous faux jackets, vests, collars and accessories are hot — and warm.

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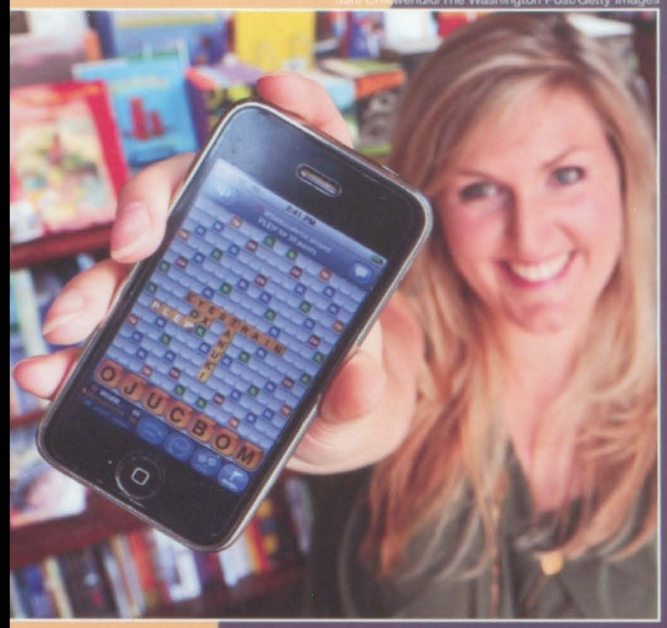

### Smartphone Users Love Wordplay

The number-one mobile word game is Zynga's addictive "Words with Friends," a cross-platform challenge for friends and strangers.

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### Moviegoers Stay Home With Netflix

Netflix, a popular online movie rental service, delivers new flicks to home screens via instant streaming and discs in the mail.

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### Oprah Moves On

Oprah Winfrey airs the final episode of her daytime television talk show after 25 seasons. The hour attracts 16.4 million viewers.

# Lifestyle

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### Nike Makes It Personal

Online custom build-it functionality allows consumers to design their own Nike ID footwear, by specifying colors and performance features.

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### Walt Disney World Celebrates 40th Anniversary

The Walt Disney World Resort turns 40. The celebration at Magic Kingdom Park includes fireworks and a mass sing-along of "When You Wish Upon a Star."

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### Facebook Makes It Easier to *Go Back in Time.*

Facebook introduced its newest development, the Timeline this year. The recent change allows users to easily view everything from past photos, wall posts and status updates from any year they were subscribed to Facebook.

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### Apple iPhone 4S Launches

Apple unveils the iPhone 4S, which features an 8-megapixel camera and the same dual-core chip as the iPad.

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### Kardashian Sisters Build Reality Show Empire

Between Kim's 72-day marriage, Kourtney's second pregnancy, and various scandals, the media can't resist covering the Kardashians' every move.

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### Tablet Computing Trends Upward

The tablet computing craze is going strong. Consumers can't resist the Apple iPad 2, as well as competitors like the Kindle Fire and the Transformer Prime.

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